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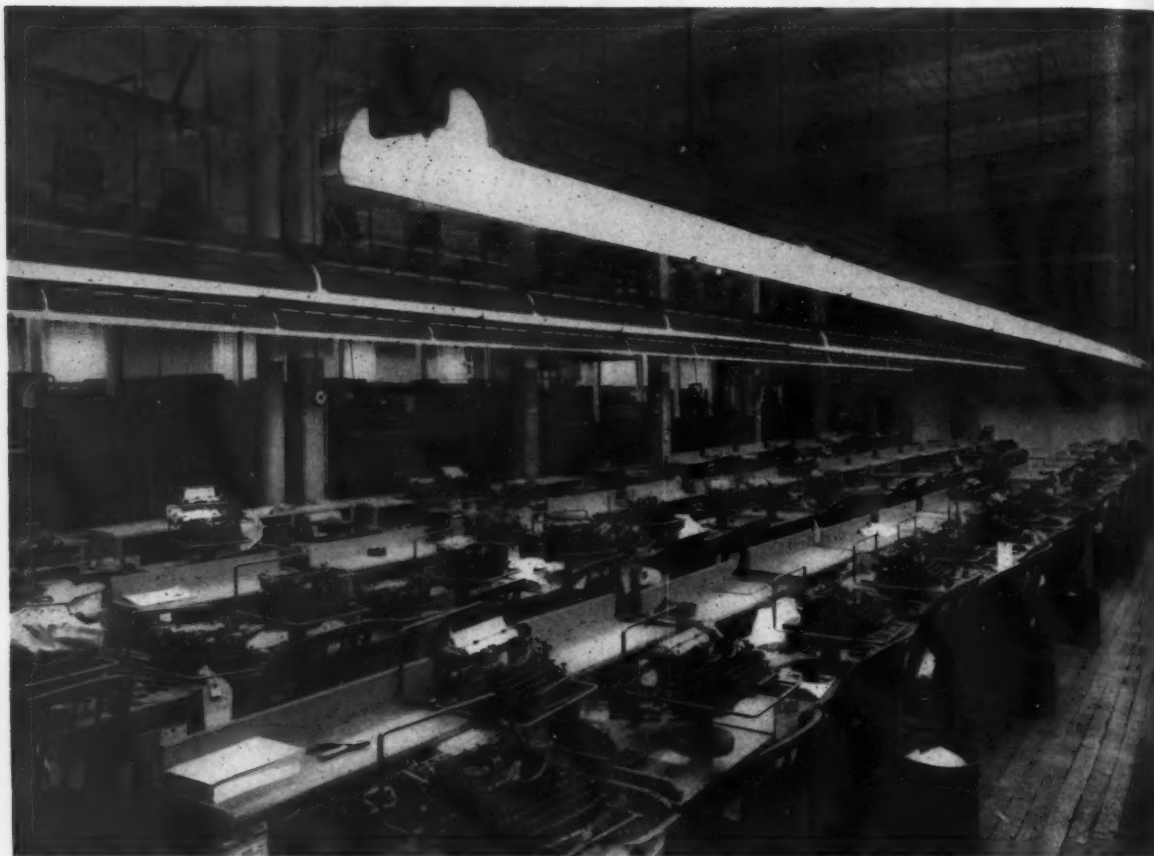
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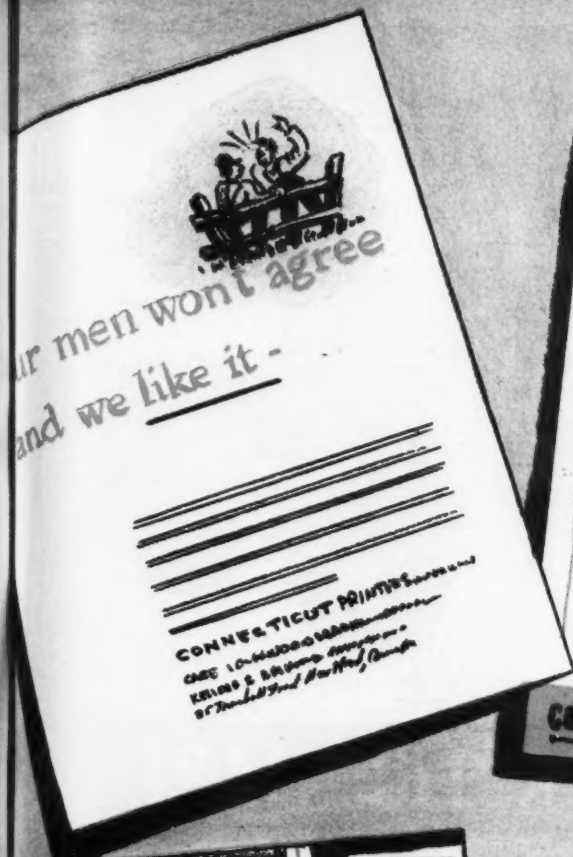
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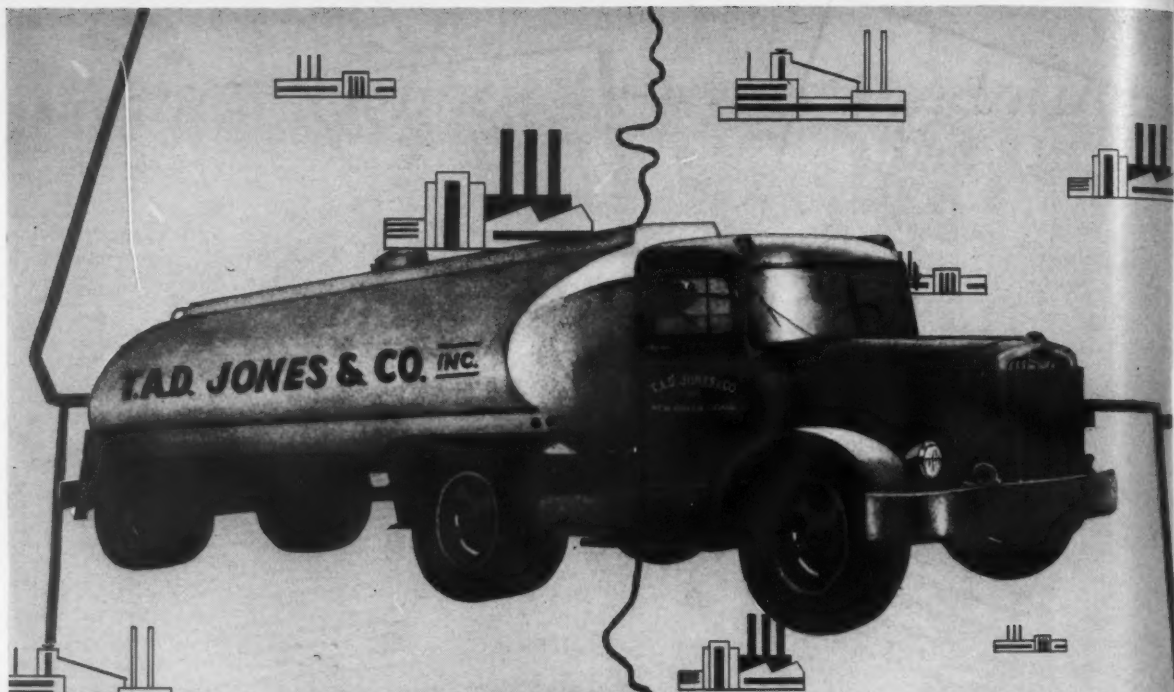
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Customer Relations

By JOHN H. DOCKENDORFF, *President**

Dockendorff & Company, Inc., Bridgeport, Connecticut

CONNECTICUT'S industry is known the world over for its skills and craftsmanship as exemplified by its production to the most precise standards of such products as aircraft engines, firearms, clocks and precision instruments. But it is perhaps debatable whether as a community we are equally well known for friendliness, goodwill, and for the warm relationships with customers which contribute so much to business association and which, in themselves, can be as much a source of pride as a product well made.

We continually remind our employees that our customer is our greatest asset. But too few of us actually make that customer feel that he is. Too few of us succeed in conveying to that customer the assurance that our concern for producing and delivering his order in full accordance with his requirements is as great as was our original eagerness to obtain the order. As a consequence, files are filled with correspondence requesting delivery schedules, reminding that orders are still unfilled and expressing anxiety as to progress in meeting commitments that have been made. Unfortunately, correspondence of this nature today is considered as a necessary part of doing business, and too many of us are compelled to spend too much time and effort in conducting it.

The buyer who feels he must ask his supplier about the status of his order is, in greater or lesser degree, expressing a lack of confidence in that supplier's ability fully to meet his commitments. For if he does not know of his supplier's progress he begins to doubt—and doubt produces irritation.

The buyer who originally signified his confidence in Connecticut industry by placing his order here is entitled to be kept informed of our progress in discharging his trust. He, too, has business problems and he is willing to be considerate and tolerant when unexpected delays occur. But too few of us have the courage to keep him informed of our problems insofar as they affect him; nor have we demonstrated a willingness to make any great effort to support his trust and friendship for us.

It should be a basic part of our customer services to keep our customers informed—regularly and systematically. This type of service contains two distinct benefits. It not only tells the buyer what he wants and is entitled to know concerning expected deliveries; it also provides management with an automatic and constant review of the progress of each individual order.

A very simple and practical method of keeping customers informed about the progress and status of their orders is through the use of a simple but attractively printed report form, which permits filling in the concise

facts or statement of the status of the order or contract. It should be so designed to include information that will make further correspondence and telephone calls unnecessary. When a customer, without request or effort on his own part, receives such reports at regular and stipulated intervals, they confirm his original trust in the reliability of his supplier and the original impression of that supplier's friendliness, cooperation and real concern for meeting his requirements.

Even for a small business it requires little effort to establish such a system of reports designed solely to maintain goodwill. Experience indicates that far less work, time and expense are involved in such a system intended to prevent customer irritation and loss of confidence than are required by the correspondence, telephone calls and personal contacts necessary to allay the irritation created and to restore the confidence lost by the lack of such information.

To the buyer such information coming each week or each month constitutes an up-to-date report of what is being done on his order or contract. It is both a progress report and a status report which serves either to reassure him or to indicate a need for action on his own part. But whatever it shows, it never leaves the customer in the position of being uninformed and unprepared. And it relieves him of the burden of having to seek from his supplier information which the supplier, in the interest of having a contented customer, is under obligation to supply. Thus the customer has friendly and continuing evidence of the existence or absence of his supplier's problems. In many instances the customer, when thus informed can be of assistance in contract compliance.

In the light of increased production costs resulting from advancing prices of raw materials and labor, it is essential that every effort be made to increase the efficiency of management. For price, today as always, is the dominant factor in making a sale. But important as price is, management cannot afford to neglect the factor of customer goodwill. When such purely technical factors as price, quality and delivery are all equal among a group of competing manufacturers, the order usually goes to the manufacturer who, in the greatest degree, enjoys the buyer's goodwill.

Connecticut should value and maintain its excellent reputation for skilled craftsmanship. It should also be known as a community of craftsmen that combines skill with efficiency in a friendly and cooperative manner. While New England's reputation has always been one of Yankee ingenuity, it has also been one of conservatism and restraint in business relationships. The West and South are known for their open, friendly and neighborly associations. They are living proof of the great value of friendly business relations.

Let us in Connecticut guard and maintain the excellent reputation our forefathers bequeathed to us. But let us abandon our reputation for lack of warmth in business practices.

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E. INGRAHAM & CO.—ABOUT 1875

The Ingraham Story

THE year was 1828. Andrew Jackson was serving as seventh President. John Audubon (birds) and Noah Webster (words) published the first volumes of their books that were destined to become milestones in American literature. The Baltimore & Ohio, the first passenger railroad in the country, started construction.

It was in that same year that Elias Ingraham, a young, skilled "joiner" came to Bristol, Connecticut. According to tradition, he walked the eighteen miles from Hartford with his joiner's tools and personal possessions strapped to his back. Elias was born in Marlborough, another small Connecticut village, in 1805, and served his apprenticeship in nearby Glastonbury.

Bristol had much to offer enterprising Elias. It was a prosperous community of some fifteen hundred inhabitants. With excellent water power, an abundance of fine timber (oak, cherry, laurel, walnut, birch, maple, and pine), and good transportation facilities through the recently completed Farmington Canal, Bristol was already

the home of a thriving clock industry. Between fifty and one hundred thousand clocks a year were being produced by such men as Chauncey Jerome, Chauncey Boardman, Ephraim



ELIAS INGRAHAM
1805-1885

Downs, Samuel Terry, William Darrow, Chauncey and Lawton Ives, Elijah Darrow, John Birge, Elisha C. Brewster, and others.

With the demand for fine wooden clock cases so great, Elias Ingraham found immediate employment as a designer and cabinet maker, first for George Mitchell who produced them for Ephraim Downs, and, shortly afterward, for Chauncey and Lawton Ives.

Business Started

In 1831, the ambitious young man formed a partnership with William G. Bartholomew, bought a small shop, and started producing his own clock cases, mirrors, chairs, coffins, and other products requiring a cabinet maker's skill. It was the start of the clock business that still bears his name.

The firm prospered and expanded its facilities but in 1837, the depression struck and it was not long before its effect was felt by Elias. Faced with bankruptcy, he lost his business, his factory, and finally his home. His brother, Andrew, who was then a farmer, stepped in and recovered his home for him. It was during this trying period that Elias saw the logic in the idea that one company could manufacture both cases and movements and thus produce a complete clock. Shortly afterward, a partnership was formed with Benjamin Ray and by 1841, the firm of Ray & Ingraham was producing complete 30-hour and 8-day pendulum clocks on the site now occupied by the present plant.

Two years later, Ray withdrew and Elias was joined by his brother Andrew and Elisha C. Brewster and the concern of Brewster & Ingrahams was formed. Soon Elias' fame as a designer spread and with it many imitators. It is believed that during his lifetime, more clocks of his design, and copies of them, were sold than all others. Perhaps his most notable achievement was the design of the Sharp Gothic clock, considered by many authorities to be the most beautiful case ever made. Many of the clocks produced by Brewster & Ingrahams are today prized possessions and are still keeping accurate time.

A very interesting commentary on the way people lived and did business early in the nineteenth century is found in Elias Ingraham's contract made in 1848 with his factory superintendent, Anson L. Atwood. In part it provided that "... said Atwood further agrees to keep good order in the establishment, and allow no gambling nor



SHARP GOTHIC
1845-1850

wrestling, nor scuffling, nor profane language, have regular hours for business, and not allow the factory to be open on the Sabbath, except in the morning before Church, and this only for the purpose of washing, shaving, and preparing for Church. He and his hands shall be regular attendants at Church on the Sabbath . . ."

In addition, the contract also provided that Anson Atwood would have the use of the factories, machinery and equipment belonging to the company, and with it produce in one year's time twelve thousand spring driven 8-day brass pendulum movements with strike, and five thousand timepieces.

In 1855 disaster struck again when a severe fire leveled the Bristol plant. Manufacturing facilities were moved to Ansonia, Connecticut, and production continued. In 1859, the company resumed operations in Bristol.

From 1852 the company operated under several combinations of the Ingraham name until it was incorporated in 1884 under its present name—The E. Ingraham Company. It is the oldest clock concern in America still managed by lineal descendants of the founder. A list has been compiled by the Curator of the Bristol Clock Museum giving the names of well over four hundred individuals, partnerships, or companies in the Bristol-Plymouth area and Forestville (a section of the town of Bristol with its own Post Office) under whose names clocks were made or sold. Of these there are only two companies now surviving: The E. Ingraham Company in Bristol; and

the Sessions Clock Company in Forestville.

From the latter part of the nineteenth century until the present day, products of the company have kept pace with popular demands. In 1890, for example, Ingraham recognized a growing trend and added alarm clocks to its 30-hour lever timepiece and 8-day pendulum clock line. In 1913 non-jeweled pocket watches were introduced; in 1915, 8-day alarms joined the list. By 1932 the decreasing call for wood case clocks and the growing needs of the radio industry encouraged utilization of the company's woodworking skills for the production of radio cabinets with a daily production of between one and two thousand. A few years later, it became a leading producer of fine television cabinets.

Non-jeweled wrist watches in 1930;



SHARP GOTHIC
(Ripple Front)
1845-1850

self-starting electric clocks in 1931; manual starting electric clocks a year later; and electric motors for industrial use in 1935 were a few of the additional items included in the line.

During the depression of the 1930's the company operated on an unusually stable basis. Employment at no time fell below the pre-depression level. The company did not reduce wages or salaries. And during this trying period the company actually expanded its manufacturing facilities.

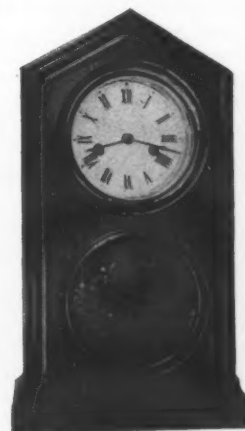
In 1941 the company bought out the assets of the Thiel Canadian Clock Company and established the Ingraham Canadian Clock Co., Ltd., with a plant of twelve thousand square feet operating in the outskirts of Toronto.



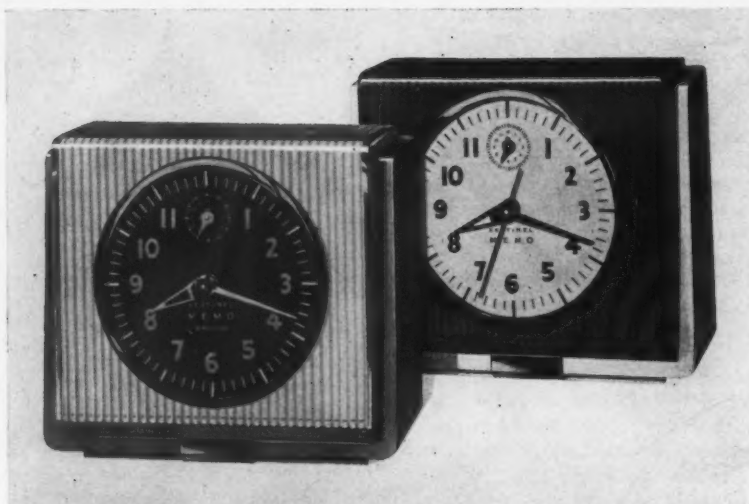
VENETIAN
1860-1870

The E. Ingraham Company Family Tree

ELIAS INGRAHAM	1831-40
RAY & INGRAHAM	1841-43
BREWSTER & INGRAHAMS	1844-52
E. & A. INGRAHAM	1852-56
E. & A. INGRAHAM & Co.	1856-57
ELIAS INGRAHAM & Co.	1857-61
E. INGRAHAM & Co.	1861-80
THE E. INGRAHAM & Co.	1880-84
THE E. INGRAHAM Co.	1884-to present



DORIC
1870-1880



"MEMO" ELECTRIC ALARM, one of the famous Sentinel line, which features the distinctive styling of Henry Dreyfuss, one of the country's foremost product designers.

War Record

During World War II, Ingraham completely suspended production of clocks, watches, and woodworking products and devoted its entire facilities to the war effort.

At the outbreak of the war, it was apparent that one of the Allies' greatest needs was for anti-aircraft fuses. The clock and watch industries of England and France had been virtually eliminated by subsidized German exports under the Hitler regime. These countries, therefore, had no facilities for making timing mechanisms so essential for protecting themselves against air attack.

The Allies immediately came to America for assistance. However, the productive capacity of this country was only a few thousand fuses per day. Furthermore, the heavy elaborate equipment required for making the fuse plates out of solid bar stock could only be acquired at a cost of millions of dollars. Of even greater importance it required many months to produce sufficient pieces of this specialized machinery to get up to a production of only one thousand more fuses per day.

Therefore, the Allies, assisted by our own Government, turned to the horological industry for advice. In this emergency Ingraham contended that if permitted to use laminated plates instead of solid plates, and if Ingraham were given the contract to make the critically short movement parts of the fuse, such as the plates, wheels, gears, firing pins, pinions, etc., it would be possible to supply the ten to a dozen concerns the Government had selected



SENTINEL wrist and pocket watches have been extensively advertised in many leading national publications.

to make these fuses with sufficient parts to increase production to 50,000 fuses per day.

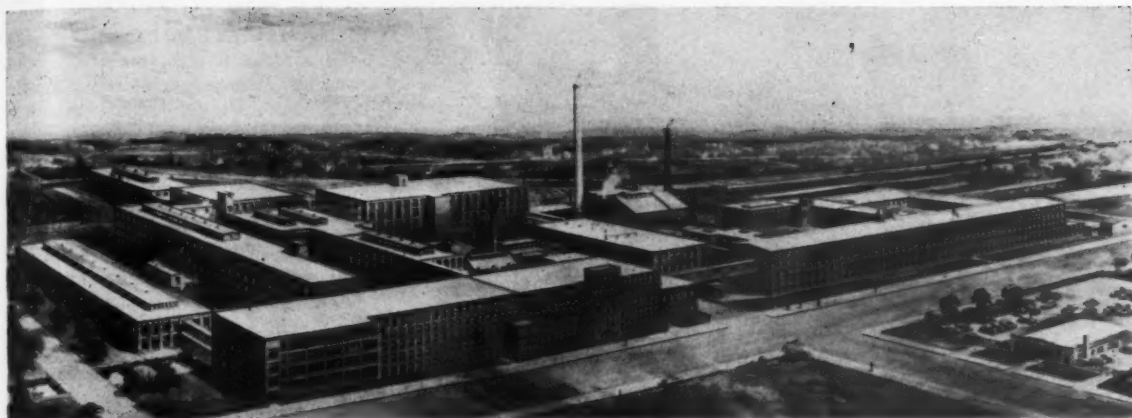
The company recognized, however, that there would be many serious problems, noting particularly that brass could not be rolled accurately enough for this purpose, but believing that it would be possible to develop a method of shaving the stock and obtaining the very necessary close tolerances. This shaving method proved successful, saved a great tonnage of stock, and Ingraham gave the Government without charge the rights to the resultant patent.

Also, by making the laminated plates by the subdie method, it was possible even in tremendous production to hold the relative location of the train holes as well as the diameter of these holes to a fraction of a thousandth of an inch in tolerance. All of this was undertaken at a tremendous saving in investment, in material and labor, and with great improvement in quality.

In short, the idea proved so successful that within a few months production was underway in volume, the plight of the Allies was solved, Ingraham production reached nearly 70,000 sets of parts a day, and the

Ingraham "Firsts" in Clockmaking

1. Designing the Sharp Gothic and Gilt Gallery Clocks.
2. Developing black enamel and marbled wooden clock cases.
3. Developing 8-day lever alarm clocks.
4. Developing use of convex glass for alarm clocks, thus improving the readability of the dial and appearance of the clock.
5. Removing the bell from the top of the alarm clock by casing it inside.
6. Transferring the alarm shut-off to the top of the case.
7. Developing and perfecting the first unbreakable crystals used on watches and clocks.
8. First using subdial wheels in place of those cut on wheel cutters.
9. Developing the first alarm clock with integral case and back.
10. Developing the first electric clock motor completely sealed in oil.
11. Developing the first non-jeweled pocket watch with pull-out stem set.
12. Developing the first tonneau-shaped non-jeweled wrist watch, replacing the so-called "turnip" in the low priced watch field.
13. Developing the first wrist watch so constructed that it can be regulated by simply removing the back.



THE BRISTOL PLANT of the E. Ingraham Co.

timing quality of the fuses improved by more than twenty per cent.

Ingraham also developed and produced over a million anti-personnel fuses. In total, during the war years it manufactured for the Government in excess of 900 million fuses and fine precision parts.

At the start of the Korean War, it was found that, because of the difficult terrain, mechanical time fuses almost identical to the anti-aircraft fuses were needed in tremendous volume. As a result, Ingraham was called upon to produce millions of these fuses, and furnished many millions of parts for others in the horological industry either augmenting their production or supplying those who were assemblers rather than producers.

Distribution Methods

Today, producing millions of time-piece movements a year and employing well over two thousand men and women, Ingraham is one of the world's largest manufacturers of popular-priced clocks and watches.

Ingraham clocks and watches are distributed through wholesalers to retail stores, and through mail order houses. They are available nationwide in drug stores, tobacco stores, hardware and department stores, and at jewelry counters.

Although a portion of this tremendous production is sold as private brand merchandise, Ingraham also maintains its own brands. Probably the best known in the later group is the nationally-advertised "Sentinel" line that was established in 1946.

Featuring the distinctive styling of Henry Dreyfuss, one of America's foremost product designers, the "Sentinel" line has enjoyed increasing popularity

since its introduction. Items bearing the "Sentinel" name include 40-hour and 8-day spring wound alarm clocks, self-starting electric alarms, 8-day and electric kitchen wall clocks, pocket watches, and wrist watches. They have been extensively advertised in such national publications as *The Saturday Evening Post*, *Life*, *Colliers*, *Look*, and others.

At Ingraham, good styling goes hand in hand with good quality. Modern manufacturing methods, high

speed production machines, many of which are Ingraham developments, quality control and inspection procedures employing electronic and radar devices—plus skilled, highly specialized personnel—combine to produce timepieces that meet high standards of quality and accuracy yet are competitively priced.

Diversification has always been an Ingraham trait. For several years one of its major products has been interval timers. These are synchronous electric



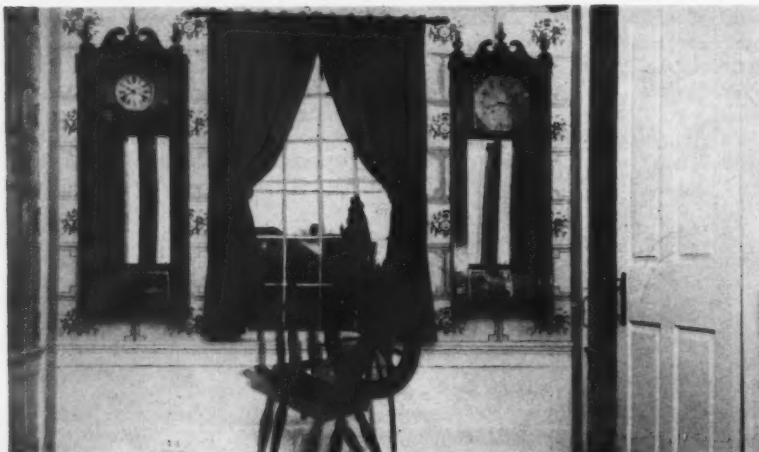
THIS DRAWING shows the new Ingraham plant in Elizabethtown, Kentucky. The company produces interval timers at this location.



THIS MODERN PLANT houses the Ingraham Canadian Clock Co., Ltd., in the outskirts of Toronto, Canada.



THE BRISTOL CLOCK MUSEUM is housed in the Miles Lewis House, a Colonial mansion now restored to its original charm. It is the only museum in the world devoted entirely to American clocks and watches.



INTERIOR VIEWS of the Bristol Clock Museum. More than sixty individuals and corporations have contributed to the exhibit of almost five hundred clocks and movements and the extensive collection of original patents, documents, letters, account books, diaries, catalogs, pertinent to the history of American clocks and watches.

clocks with special gearing that builds up and releases power at desired intervals to control the cycling of clothes washers, dishwashers, driers, and other appliances. The same type mechanism is also used for timing ovens, roasters and many similar items. Ingraham's production in this one field is well in excess of one million units a year.

To meet the increased demand for these timers, and to offer improved service to industrial users, Ingraham has established a new plant in Elizabethtown, Kentucky.

The Bristol Clock Museum

To many, one of the most fascinating and enjoyable hobbies is the study and collecting of antique clocks. There are numerous fine collections and in Bristol is one of the finest. Housed in the Miles Lewis House, a Colonial mansion built in 1801 and now restored to its original charm, is The Bristol Clock Museum. Opened to the public in April 1954, it is the only museum in the world devoted entirely to American clocks and watches.

More than sixty individuals and corporations have contributed to the exhibit of almost five hundred clocks and movements, and the extensive collection of horological memorabilia, including original patents, documents, letters, account books, diaries, catalogs, etc. Also available to qualified research workers is a library of over seven hundred bound volumes and twenty-five hundred photographs. New acquisitions are being constantly added to the collection.

In its first year of operation, membership in the museum reached approximately three hundred, and more than five thousand persons, representing every state in the country, Hawaii, and several provinces of Canada, visited the exhibit.

The present officers of the E. Ingraham Company are: Edward Ingraham, chairman of the board; Dudley S. Ingraham, president; C. E. Davis, vice president—sales; L. Rodney Burghoff, vice president—manufacturing; R. L. Tetro, executive vice president, and Clarence M. Ingraham, treasurer and secretary.

Editors Note—Edward Ingraham, who served as MAC president in 1947 and 1948 was the founder and president of the Bristol Clock Museum and for many years has been an ardent enthusiast of Bristol history, particularly pertaining to clockmakers and the clocks made by them.



ONE OF THE LARGEST EXHIBITS at the Machine Tool Show belonged to Pratt & Whitney Company, Inc. In its display were \$450,000 worth of machine tools, precision gages and cutting tools. Among the machines on display for the first time were: a 48" precision vertical rotary table, designed for inspecting large, heavy workpieces; and a die sinker capable of handling heavy dies with unusual ease of hand operation.

Connecticut At The Machine Tool Show

IF "bigger" and "better" are words properly belonging to a description of American technological accomplishments, then the Machine Tool Show, held from September 6 to 17 in the 411,000 square feet of space called the International Amphitheater in Chicago, stands out as brilliant proof of it.

The show was bigger than ever. It was the best ever held because it was planned in more meticulous detail than ever before. It drew a total of 102,000 actual registrations, with some 923 visitors coming from Canada and others from 38 foreign countries.

Difficult as the task was in scheduling the erection of many huge machine installations so that the setting up of one could not block the erection of another, and all would be ready to operate on the opening day of the show, the problem of finding sufficient space to store the raw materials to be machined during almost continuous demonstration of the machine tools for ten days, was even a greater problem. It was solved by fencing off a portion of the parking area to form several score separate storage sections, complete with steel shelves and bins for use by exhibitors.

"Never before anywhere in the world has there been shown as complete a display of the transfer type of machine more recently termed 'auto-

mation', than was presented at the Machine Tool Show," the Show Committee of the National Machine Tool Association stated. These machines, forerunners of the much heralded age of automation, embodied the most advanced hydraulic and electrical features, many of which are entirely new.

The Connecticut companies exhibiting, according to our best information, were: F. E. Anderson Oil Co., Portland, exhibiting cutting oils and lubri-

cants; Bodine Corporation, Bridgeport, exhibiting dial types of automatic assembly machines; Geometric Tool Co., Division of Greenfield Tap & Die Corporation, New Haven, exhibiting a line of self opening die heads; Goss & DeLeeuw Machine Co., Kensington, exhibiting a line of chucking machines; The Hanson-Whitney Division, Whitney Chain Co., Hartford, Bullard Company, Bridgeport, exhibiting tur-

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FIFTEEN MACHINES were shown at the exhibit of The New Britain Machine Company, New Britain. Included were several automatic loading machines which required no work by the operator other than the pressing of a starting button. One machine was designed to automatically inspect parts with a tolerance of .0005" and automatically reset the cutting tools to maintain this tolerance.

No Plate Glass Between You and Your Public

By HUGO T. SAGLIO, Connecticut Development Commission



FOUR Connecticut manufacturers set up shop in the Connecticut Building to tell the story of Connecticut industry to the 425,000 persons who visited the 1955 Eastern States Exposition.

The industrialists were joined in the state's colonial-styled building by ten other exhibitors ranging all the way from flowers by Bristol Nurseries and radio via a WTIC studio in the balcony to live specimens of fish and game provided by the State Board of Fisheries and Game. Three other state departments—Agriculture, Highway and Civil Defense—rounded out the display of state services. Representing other phases of the state scene, the importance of rail transportation in the movement of both goods and people was graphically depicted in an exhibit of the New Haven Railroad. Another exhibitor, the Handweavers' Guild, focused an unusual amount of spectator interest on a popular handicraft.

Meanwhile, in an effective triple play, G. Fox and Co. promoted its own store, featured the function of retailing in the distribution process, and gave recognition to the sources of the many Connecticut-manufactured products it carries in stock.

Though admittedly outnumbered, the state's manufacturers, representing a full 49% of Connecticut's non-agricultural employment, had no difficulty in securing something like their proportionate share of spectator attention. Consumers, accustomed to buying merchandise at the counter or in the show room, are not only attracted to well-displayed products, but seem to experience some indefinable satisfaction in meeting the manufacturer face to face. In West Springfield, the process was enjoyable and beneficial both to consumer and to manufacturer.

It was so for the four manufacturers who were present in the Con-

necticut Building this year—The Commander Woodworking Co. of Rockville, The Gray Manufacturing Co. of Hartford, J. B. Williams Co. of Glastonbury, and R. R. Williams, Inc. of Canaan.

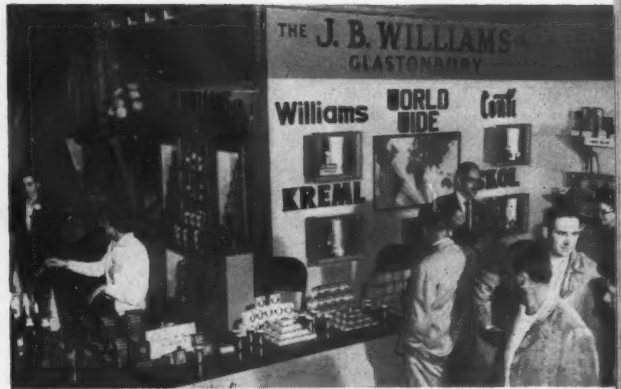
One of the state's oldest and best-known manufacturers—the 114-year old J. B. Williams Co.—has had experience with fairs before. The company's attractive display of its full product line, including its most recent innovations, was undoubtedly conceived as strictly sales promotion. Samples were distributed, products discussed, and undoubtedly new customers will be asking for Williams' products at counters throughout New England.

"However, the thing that we are most enthusiastic about is an unexpected public relations aspect," one of the company's top executives reported. (A number of the company's officials had actually helped man the booth during the exposition.) It gave them a rare opportunity to meet face to face with a broad cross section of consumers whose actual reactions "are pretty well filtered" by the time they reach management through the usual channels of retailer, distributor, jobber, et al. The company discovered, for example, that customers living within five miles of the plant didn't realize that the company was located in Connecticut. It found that a good many users of their products were unaware that some of the company's main lines were actually Williams products. They came away with new approaches to the company's public relations needs which it is proposed to implement. It was an easy, inexpensive, satisfying consumer survey.

For one of the state's newest manufacturers, R. R. Williams, Inc. of Canaan, the Exposition experience was even more fruitful.

The youthful corporation, it will be remembered, had moved from a New York City loft to a scenic site in Canaan only last January. Its Connecticut

THOUSANDS of visitors kept pouring through the Connecticut Building during the nine days of the 1955 Eastern States Exposition.



THE EXHIBITS of The Gray Manufacturing Co. (left) and The J. B. Williams Co., (above) contained those companies' complete line of nationally-known products.

home had been built by the Canaan Industrial Development Association, the stockholders of which are 110 Canaanites representing every segment of the village's 2,800 population. The modern factory building which symbolizes this assertion of free enterprise is on a 10-year lease to the R. R. Williams concern, and the consequent relationship between plant and community will continue to attract attention as a memorable example of common interest and cooperation.

The Exposition gave the company the opportunity to distribute more than 100,000 samples of Wash-n-Dri, a new product which contains the functions of soap, water and towel in a small packet weighing less than a third of an ounce. Again, company executives talked face to face with thousands of future customers. Their Fifth Avenue-type display was visited by thousands, and there was no plate glass window between company and public. Comments of the visitors suggested new uses for the product, and the alert management made notes. Unsuspected classes of potential customers emerged from the throngs that paused to sample the product. Both in immediate sales impetus and in long-range public relations value, the company's insight in making the most of an opportunity has been reaping handsome returns.

The Commander Woodworking Co., another promising fledgling on the Connecticut industrial scene, took similar advantage of its exposure to the direct questions from the consuming public. Spectators, drawn to the booth by the company's neat display of finished furniture, stayed to be fascinated by the process of assembling pre-cut parts into well-designed finished fur-

niture in a matter of minutes without hammer, nails, or glue. (Some thoughtful observers may have wondered if this was a new application of the principle of interchangeable parts.) Certainly, persons interested in transportation and warehousing of furniture were impressed by what they saw.

The impression carried over, too, to potential customers. Within a week, 500 of them had affixed two-cent stamps to inquiry cards available on the counter, filled them in, and mailed them to Rockville for further information.

Meanwhile, Gray Manufacturing performed yeoman service, not only for its own sales department but for the state's manufacturing industry as a whole. In addition to a highly popular audience-participation display of

Gray's complete line of Audograph and telephone dictation equipment, the Company featured a significant exhibit of patents which are at the base of the state's industrial greatness.

Instructive to all, and especially quickening to the pride of visitors from Connecticut, were such historic and basic patents as the one issued to E. Whitney for a cotton gin, March 14, 1794; one issued to William Gray, August 13, 1899, for coin-controlled apparatus for telephones; one to Samuel Colt, February 25, 1836, for a revolver; one to Simon Lake for a submarine vessel, April 20, 1897; one for a sewing machine granted to E. Howe, Jr., on September 10, 1846; and others including hardware, adding machines, and naturally, the Gray Audograph.

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LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR and Mrs. Charles W. Jewett welcome samples of Wash-n-Dri from Mr. and Mrs. Ross R. Williams of R. R. Williams, Inc., Canaan.

Ten Years of Distinguished Leadership and Service to the Physically Handicapped 1945 - 1955

EMPLOYMENT of the physically handicapped has long been a major objective in Connecticut, and the accomplishments obtained are due largely to the coordination of efforts under the leadership of Mr. John L. Connors, chairman of the Connecticut Committee for the Employment of the Physically Handicapped, and assistant manager of the Veterans Administration, Regional office. From more than thirty years of broad experience in the field of rehabilitation, together with his understanding of the problems confronting the physically handicapped, Mr. Connors has contributed the fullness of this knowledge to the development of a program for increasing the employment of the physically handicapped in Connecticut.

National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week was established in 1945, and the first full week in Octo-

ber was designated for the observance of this program. The Connecticut committee on National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week in Connecticut was established by Governor Raymond E. Baldwin in 1945, to study the problem and develop a program which would be effective, efficient, and provide increased opportunities for the gainful employment of the physically handicapped. Because it was felt that this program, to be effective, should be a continuous year round activity, this committee was made a permanent one and was designated as "The Inter-agency Committee for the Employment of the Physically Handicapped."

As in other Connecticut activities, the program was based on the coordination of all state and community organizations, and citizens throughout Connecticut organized as community committees. Cooperating in this out-

standing program are representatives of federal, state and local governments; leaders of labor, management, the public, service, civic, veteran, fraternal organizations, the state medical society, and employers—large and small.

Under Mr. Connors' able leadership, the employment of the physically handicapped has shown a steady increase throughout the years as many employers have found from their own experience that it "is good business to employ the physically handicapped."

In 1947, by authority of the Governor, the Interagency Group was designated the "Connecticut Committee for the Employment of the Physically Handicapped." The major objective of this committee is the placement and retention of handicapped workers in suitable jobs where their disability will offer no handicap to efficient, profitable performance, and which will allow them to take their proper place in the economic, social and political life of their communities.

Among those who worked closely with Mr. Connors in the development of a wider, better understanding of the employment of the physically handicapped was the late Arthur V. Geary who, until his untimely death in March 1954, was the secretary of the committee for many years. Long active in veterans' employment, particularly the handicapped and older veterans, Mr. Geary's knowledge and interest were major contributions to the accomplishments of the Connecticut Committee.

Others who contributed generously of their knowledge and interests are the following: E. P. Chester, Director and Fred Novis of the Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation, State Department of Education; Thomas I. Shea, Director, Connecticut State Employment Service; A. L. Woods, Insurance Manager, Manufacturers Association of Connecticut, Inc.; William G. Ennis, former Deputy Labor Commissioner; V. P. Hippolitus, former As-



CONNECTICUT COMMITTEE for the Employment of the Physically Handicapped. Seated, left to right, V. P. Hippolitus, formerly state committee member, and now on the staff of the President's committee; John L. Connors, chairman; assistant manager, Veterans Administration Regional Office; Fred Novis, Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation, State Department of Education; E. P. Chester, director, Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation. Standing, left to right, Thomas I. Shea, director, Connecticut State Employment Service; Dr. John N. Gallivan, medical director, United Aircraft Corp.; Ellsworth S. Grant, vice president, Allen Mfg. Co.; Dean Spencer, Veterans Employment Representative; A. L. Woods, executive assistant, MAC; Robert O. Stevens, Personnel Services, Stamford.

sistant Veterans Employment Representative; Dr. John N. Gallivan, Medical Director, United Aircraft Corporation; Dr. Albert S. Gray, former Director, State Bureau of Industrial Hygiene; John J. Oleksiw, Veterans of Foreign Wars; James J. Clerkin, Past President, Connecticut Federation of Labor; Fred Gutmann, Congress of Industrial Organizations; and Robert O. Stevens, American Legion, representing organizations which have long been interested in employment of the physically handicapped.

Among the many projects of the Connecticut committee which have contributed to a wider and better knowledge of the valuable contributions which the physically handicapped are making in our industrial, commercial, professional, research and development, and civic activities, is the annual essay contest among the students in the secondary schools of Connecticut. These contests have produced many excellent thoughts and ideas by the young people of today who will be the employers and leaders of tomorrow.

Also, in cooperation with, and upon recommendations by the Connecticut Medical Society, the Committee has, for the past several years, nominated one of Connecticut's doctors to receive a national citation for his outstanding contribution to the development of work standards for the physically handicapped, based on the physical abilities and skills of the handicapped person. This program has been of inestimable value in widening the number and types of employment opportunities for handicapped men and women.

Through the cooperation of the Connecticut State Employment Service, eighteen local committees are established, and operating, with the local employment office manager serving as secretary. The activities of most of these committees are conducted on a year round basis so that the physically handicapped are given every consideration, based on their tested and proven abilities to meet the physical requirements, as well as the skill requirements, of positions available. The accomplishments of these committees is proven by the increasing numbers of physically handicapped men and women who are securing gainful employment in all sections of Connecticut.

The following case histories taken from the files of the Connecticut State Employment service point up the co-

operation displayed by the various agencies in placing the handicapped.

Case Histories Prove Merit of Program

John Doe developed Grand Mal epilepsy while he was in the service of his country in World War II. For 10 years he lost jobs as a counterman because of his seizures of epilepsy. (Many treatments had decreased the number of seizures from hundreds to 6 per year.) Discouraged by his many failures he was admitted to a mental hospital with a nervous disorder. As a part of the rehabilitation program there he was given many tests. These tests showed that he had aptitude for office work, and he was given training in typing and office practices. The medical board recommended that he be employed as a stock clerk. He had no seizures while at the hospital. He was given a leave of absence from the hospital, but would not be discharged until he had a job to go to.

When he came to the local Employment Service office, in accordance with the cooperative agreement that exists between the Veterans Administration, the Veterans Employment Service and the Connecticut State Employment Service he was a difficult person to place. In the first place he had 10 years history of epilepsy. Secondly, he had been treated at a mental hospital. Third, he was 36 years old, and somewhat beyond the age when workers enter the clerical field. Furthermore, he had no clerical or related experience, and he had only 1 year of formal high school training, although he had a high school equivalency diploma, secured while he was in the service. And finally, he was a stranger in Connecticut.

No opening could be found for him in his chosen field at once but two temporary seasonal sales jobs were found for him while efforts continued to locate the kind of work the V.A. had recommended for him. Two months after his first visit to the Connecticut State Employment Service office an employer was found who was willing to hire him as a stock clerk, on the basis of what he was trained to do, even though full details of his hospitalization and the 10 year history of epilepsy were given the employer. John Doe has been doing good work for his employer for six months now. He can hold his head up again, thanks to you, Mr. Connecticut employer!

At the end of May 1954 a fifty-two

year old married man applied at a Connecticut State Employment Service office to find a job. He had just spent a month in a hospital after suffering a severe heart attack. He had worked as a route salesman and more recently as an insurance salesman, but could not continue at either occupation because of his heart condition.

He was referred to the State Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation for service. A physical examination was arranged and a complete physical capacities report was prepared showing the activities in which he could safely engage and those which should be avoided. After counseling and testing it was determined that he had aptitude for mechanical drafting which he could do within his physical limitations. The Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation arranged for him to attend a drafting course at a local technical school.

In November 1954 this man's sixteen year old son applied at the Connecticut State Employment Service stating that it was necessary for him to leave school and get a job because his father had no income. The boy was referred to an employment counselor to discuss possible fields of work. In the course of the counseling the General Aptitude Test Battery was administered to determine his potentialities. The test results indicated that he was above average in all aptitudes. He had high aptitude for machine work.

In discussing the test results with him it was discovered that he was not interested in factory machine work but he was interested in automobile mechanics. It was agreed that he would enroll in the evening course in auto mechanics at the State Trade School. The employment interviewer also called a local employer in the auto upholstery business and found a job for the boy so that he could work in the daytime and attend school evenings.

A few weeks afterward the boy's father came back to the Employment Service to thank the interviewer for the good advice and other arrangements made for his son. He then asked if there was something that could be done for him.

The father had now received training in mechanical drafting for six months. His instructor had told him that he had made good progress and would be able to do a good job at

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A PAUSE FOR A COKE at the afternoon session at Sprague Hall. Cokes were provided for guests by the Coca Cola Bottling Co. of New Haven.



THOSE WHO ATTENDED the afternoon session were entertained by the "Previews of Progress" demonstration staged by General Motors Corp.

It Happened at the 140th Annual Meeting

THIS year's annual meeting was held at Sprague and Yale Dining Halls, Yale University, Thursday, September 8, 1955 for the seventh consecutive year. The date was the earliest an annual meeting has ever been held, due to the necessity of holding the meeting the day before the opening of the college activities, which began the following day.

Following the practice of a good housewife, the Board of Directors decided to change the menu for this year's meeting from the 1953 and 1954 combination of panel conferences

in the afternoon and speakers in the evening to an all-speaker talent show, plus a serving of dramatic hors d'oeuvres sandwiched between afternoon speakers in the form of a stage demonstration showing future possibilities in scientific development.

Business Meeting

President Albert S. Redway signaled the opening of the 140th annual meeting business session in Sprague Hall auditorium with one stroke of the gavel at 2:30 P.M. He welcomed some 125 member representatives and called successively for the reports of the Treasurer, the Budget Committee and the Nominating Committee.

The Treasurer's report was read by John Coolidge, president, The Connecticut Manifold Forms Co., West Hartford, who has served for eleven consecutive years as Treasurer. The Budget Committee report was presented by Herbert B. Bassett, president of Acme Wire Co., Hamden, and chairman of that committee. S. B. Swanson, president of the Apex Tool Co., Inc., Bridgeport, and chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented a slate of nominees for directors. All reports were accepted, with thanks, and it was voted that the Secretary



AT THE BUSINESS SESSION reports were presented by MAC committee chairmen. This photo shows President Redway presiding.



MAC Officers, directors and guests at the head table at the Evening Session, above. (Right) Governor Abraham Ribicoff is shown with President Redway.



cast one ballot for the election of the list of nominees to serve for a term of four years beginning January 1, 1956. The nominees elected were:

Ralph S. Howe, president, New Britain Machine Company, New Britain, representing Hartford County, and succeeding S. M. Cooper, president, Fafnir Bearing Company, New Britain; Harry E. Norton, vice president, Mason Silk Company, replacing E. M. Jack, president, Union Hardware Company, Torrington as a director from Litchfield County; S. W. Farnsworth, chairman of the board, The Torrington Manufacturing Co. Torrington, representing Litchfield County, and replacing Robert L. Noble, president, Dano Electric Company, Winsted; George L. Todd, vice president, The Bullard Company, Bridgeport, representing Fairfield County, succeeding N. M. Marsilius, Jr., president, The Product Machine Company, Bridgeport; and Carlyle F. Barnes, president, Wallace Barnes Company, Division of Associated Spring Corporation, Bristol, re-elected director-at-large, after having served as a director since January 1953, filling the unexpired term of Harrison Fuller.

There being no further corporate business to come before the meeting, President Redway adjourned the meeting at 2:50 P.M. He then introduced the first speaker, Carroll L. Wilson, vice president of The Metals and Controls Corporation, Attleboro, Massachusetts, who gave a thirty-minute talk on the topic of "Industry and the Atom". (See brief excerpts of his address given from notes on a following page.)

President Redway then introduced Leonard Selden, narrator of the Previews of Progress demonstration, who, with the aid of one assistant, dramatized with a number of "on stage" experiments the role of science in American life. One demonstration produced synthetic rubber by combining liquids in a bottle and shaking. Another energy conversion experiment proved there was energy in matter, that energy can be converted to useful purposes and that the solution to the secret of sunshine, nature's greatest energy reservoir, could be the world's greatest scientific discovery. The principle of jet propulsion, known for 2,000 years, was explained and demonstrated, as was the miracle of electronics through the demonstration of frying an egg on a stove that never gets hot. Throughout these and other experiments, Mr. Selden's running commentary not only held the rapt attention of the audience, but also stimulated much laughter, always a welcome interlude between serious talks.

The closing feature of the afternoon program was an address on the topic of "Business and Government: Are They Natural Enemies?" by John C. Coleman, president, Burroughs Corporation, Detroit. His address is reproduced on a following page.

Before adjournment of the afternoon session at 4:40 P.M. the audience had grown from 125 at the start of the business session to an estimated 350 persons.

Evening Session

Running true to past experience the evening session, starting with din-

ner at 6:30 P.M. in Yale Dining Hall, drew the largest attendance—some 643 members and guests. As expected, because of the recent flood disaster causing damage to more than 400 manufacturing plants, and the early date of the meeting, the attendance was substantially below last year's near record.

Reverend C. Lawson Willard, Rector, Trinity Church On-the-Green, New Haven, gave the invocation preceding the dinner, with the Nordin Trio of New Haven furnishing the dinner music.

In a brief extemporaneous talk, Gov-

LEONARD SELDEN, General Motors representative, here drives a nail into a piece of wood with a glass flask. Manufacturers also saw synthetic rubber made by the fastest reaction known to science and witnessed 2,000 years of jet propulsion.



ernor Ribicoff described some of his experiences during the recent flood and lauded industrial management for its fighting spirit and assumption of responsibility in the face of heavy losses wrought by the flood. His talk is reproduced elsewhere in this issue.

President Redway gave a very brief informal report from notes, during which he complimented Governor Ribicoff for his high quality of leadership during the flood disaster, and gave full credit to the Association's staff for the quality of the services rendered to

members. His formal report, as promised, appears elsewhere in this issue.

Fred Smith, consultant, Gruen Watch Company, the guest speaker, gave the final address on "The Art of Togetherness". The meeting adjourned at 8:40 P.M.

INDUSTRY AND THE ATOM

Excerpts from an Address By

CARROLL L. WILSON, Vice President and General Manager

Metals & Controls Corporation, Attleboro, Mass.

TODAY I might have brought with me a ton of uranium metal—the fuel of atomic power plants. In twenty bars of one hundred pounds each, I could have brought it up here on the platform. It would be so small that few of you could see it. The heat energy of that ton of uranium would be equal to the heat energy of 3,000,000 tons of coal. I couldn't have brought that much coal with me. It would amount to 50,000 carloads of 60 tons each—or a train of 136 cars each day for a whole year.

In our crude atomic energy machines of today, which are called reactors, we can use only about one per cent of the energy contained in uranium. Thus, the ton of uranium today equals only 500 carloads of coal. In ten years, we should have reactors which will allow us to get 10% of the energy in the uranium—or the equal of 5,000 carloads of coal per ton of uranium. Later on, we will do still better.

Atomic fuel is exceedingly concentrated and this fact accounts for many of the difficult engineering problems involved in designing and building atomic power plants.

Taking away millions of kilowatts



CARROLL L. WILSON

of heat from the very small reactors in which the heat is generated presents formidable problems—calls for high-precision fabrication and construction. This spells opportunity for the kind of skills we have in New England.

Atomic power plants are complex systems of many components parts. These parts are "quality" products; must have great reliability; must be precision made. The market for atomic power plants will amount to dozens

during the next five years—hundreds after that and maybe eventually thousands. But not millions. There will be many species and little standardization for a long time.

This means the manufacture of a relatively small number of units of many different kinds. Hence, it calls more for job-shop, custom manufacturing than for mass-manufacturing. This spells a real opportunity for New England manufacturing.

We are entering a new phase in the atomic age—the time when industry must "pick up the ball," risk its own capital, and compete for the industrial market for atomic power plants. No longer is this a theoretical market. As of August 1955, there were in the U. S. seven full-scale atomic power reactors planned or under way. These total nearly one million kilowatts of electric capacity; are estimated to cost \$300 million, of which \$250 million will be private funds.

This will be a rough and risky period. Many will try and few will succeed. The rewards for success will be large. New England manufacturers should attempt and achieve a prominent place in this business.

BUSINESS AND THE GOVERNMENT — ARE THEY NATURAL ENEMIES?

Digest of An Address By

JOHN S. COLEMAN, President

Burroughs Corporation, Detroit, Michigan

THE title of my remarks, "Business and Government: Are they Natural Enemies?" is not really intended to raise a serious question in anyone's mind. Indeed, to remove all suspense I will say right now that my answer is, "No, they are not natural

enemies." There are those, on both sides of the fence, who seem to act as if they consider the ordinary attitude of business and government to one of gladiators with daggers drawn. I doubt, however, whether most of us are so gloomy. Yet, whatever our prejudice,

we cannot ignore the issue. It is one of the most significant in current history.

All of us, of course, recognize the need for government; it is not an artificial contrivance forced on people. It is a natural organization, called for by the very nature of man. Just as it is

natural for a man to take unto himself a wife and start a family, so it is a need of his nature to form a government. As we all know, in any but the smallest society, the only alternative to established government is anarchy—or, at the best, the tenuous and dubious order imposed by vigilantes. Certain things the individual cannot do for himself. Paved and lighted streets, schools, libraries, parks—all these facilities are beyond his unaided power to establish. The protection of his rights to life, liberty and property—if it depended on his strength alone—would fall before a stronger man or occupy an unreasonable amount of his time.

Of course, its very essence and purpose as a natural organization places some limits on government. Every power that government possesses is ceded to it by its citizens. Since its whole reason for being is to augment the reach, so to speak, of the individual citizen, it should not assume to itself, functions which he can very well perform himself.

What has given us cause for concern is the growth of big government, and to the point where individuals or groups find it harder and harder to make themselves heard. Government, it is said, represents the public, but with increasing size, the line of communication to the citizen becomes weaker and weaker. With business particularly, the connection became, in the pre-war years, especially bad. And in past decades we have had to struggle continuously for a proper representation of our interests.

Admittedly right and wrong are never wholly on one side or another. And indeed, much of the legislation that business strongly protested is now accepted both by business and by the community as a whole. At the same time, some of this legislation reflected an attitude which went beyond what was necessary to correct abuses. It was a deep-seated hostility which disturbed confidence and inhibited the enterprise and growth of the economy.

The fact is that the climate in which business now operates has greatly improved. We have had ten years of unparalleled prosperity. Many of our friends and colleagues are in Washington bearing heavy responsibilities in government. There is no longer a divorce between government and those who manage our industrial and commercial enterprises. Generally it is true to say that after somewhat anxious decades, the bonds of confidence between all parts of the American com-



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munity are being renewed. This calmer atmosphere is, I suggest, a good time to consider how we may consolidate these gains.

It is sometimes said that we now live in a period where there are no issues. And though political debate always has a certain degree of heat, I think most of us will agree that we have in the last two years, enjoyed a period of rather unusual moderation. In short, the American people have a breathing space. We are a prosperous, and for the most part, a contented people. After an era of change, we are living in a period of conservatism. It is very easy at such times to sit back and enjoy our rest. Indeed, for a businessman the problems of growth, of the vigorous competition which prosperity brings, sometimes seem no less than those of recession if not depression. Indeed, we have more than enough to occupy us in the day-to-day operations of our business. One thing, however, is certain. The passage of time will inevitably sharpen again the issues in American politics.

I am no prophet and I would not hazard a guess as to when that time will come. But I am sure that we will be ready for it only if we have used this relatively peaceful period to develop and to practice a realistic philosophy of business and politics. I am suggesting first that businessmen must concern themselves not only with business, but with every important aspect of American life. Not least, they must concern themselves with politics. I do not mean necessarily actual service in Washington. Certainly it is important that we should always be ready to enter

the public service. At the same time, it is clear that only a very small number of us will ever have the opportunity to do so. There remains, however, a special obligation directly to interest ourselves in political affairs. And if we do not feel inclined to do so as citizens, there is, as businessmen, a direct and immediate obligation for us to do so.

As someone said the other day, the larger setting of business is politics. War, defense programs, recession, inflation, monetary policy, taxation, tariffs, racial discrimination, collective bargaining. There is not one of these subjects that does not closely affect our companies. Yet they are all to a large extent political questions. Let no one tell you, then, that businessmen must stick to their desks and keep out of politics. We are already in politics, as deeply and probably more deeply than any single group in this country.

A recent writer has described management as the most important function in American society. I think this was a fair statement; it is important, therefore, that we do not fail to draw the right conclusions from it. In a democratic society, the voter will inevitably place those who exercise such an important function under severe scrutiny. The decisions management makes are crucial to society as a whole. For example, decisions on the purchase of plant and equipment are determining the level of employment. Wage and dividend policies are affecting the distribution of income. Decisions to close or build a plant are changing the faces of communities all over the country. Our contributions policies are affecting the future of education. Our advertising practices are unquestionably influencing cultural standards. The flow of new products from our research centers have, and will continue to change the customs and habits of Americans. Abroad, the manufacture and distribution of our products is having an important impact on international relationships. We must, then, recognize the managerial function for what it is. We must see it as the strategic role in our economic system.

In these circumstances it is not surprising that society should insist that this responsibility is in a real sense a public one. If, in fact, the corporation is affected with a public interest, we must then, accept a public responsibility. I am not suggesting that we pay less attention to the private interests to which the corporation owes its origins and its continuing life. On the contrary, I am arguing that these

private interests can best be served in our democracy by reconciling them with the community and national welfare. And, in my judgment, the best means of attaining this harmony between the public and private interest is for us to make a full contribution to the process of political decision.

Only a program or policy that can win popular consent is practical in a democracy. If business is to attain the influence which we feel it deserves, we must, in the same way as other groups, read the signs of the times, determine what is the general sense of the community, and give leadership and direction in terms of those implacable political facts. Does our literature ignore this necessity? Are our speeches addressed chiefly to ourselves? Is much of what we have to say somewhat frantic, with the tone of protest rather than persuasion? Are we directing our efforts toward the all-important independent voter? These are questions to which we may have different answers. But certainly, each is relevant to the winning of consent.

What then, does all this mean for us? It means the acceptance of public office. It means the willingness to serve on Government committees and commissions. It means the active participation in the councils of both parties—and though I suspect most of us tend to be Republicans, it is equally important, if not more so, that enlightened business opinion be heard in the Dem-

ocratic party. It means a positive and helpful attitude to civil servants and the men who, with meager rewards and much abuse, shoulder great responsibilities. It means keeping our selves informed on the issues of the day so that we can in public and private discussion, give the kind of leadership which will deserve to be followed.

Another condition must also be fulfilled if businessmen are to make their full contribution to the formation of public policy. That condition is the support and encouragement of their business colleagues. Perhaps it may seem strange to you that I should mention this condition. Indeed, let me add, I not only mention it, I place great emphasis upon it. Inevitably as we participate more and more in political debate we will be putting our necks out on controversial issues. Perhaps many of us will be in the position of saying things to which some of our colleagues, our stockholders, our customers, will take exception. Perhaps we may prefer the safer course of silence. But every businessman has not only the right, he has the obligation to speak out. On some issues we will agree; on some we will disagree—but let us preserve, above all, the American spirit of debate. The important thing is that all sides be heard and that an issue be thoroughly debated before it is determined—debated not only by Congressmen, by editors, by news and radio commentators, by labor leaders,

but by individual businessmen all over the country.

To my mind, management is the most important function in American society. If, however, what I have said is true, then the present incumbents of that function must proportionately participate in the affairs of the community and the nation. Society is all of a piece. The economic and industrial process is not something separate. We are not worker ants who must not raise our eyes from our daily tasks. On the contrary. Our economic system is society regarded from one point of view. It cannot be lifted out of context from the total community. By the fact that management occupies a strategic position in the making of economic decisions, it makes them, too, in various degrees in other spheres—cultural, political and social. And in the same way, the impact of legislation, the influence of government, even if kept to a minimum, will always be felt in every area of our life. The fact that the question of enmity between government and business is sometimes raised, is evidence that much remains to be done to find that basis of co-operation between them that is necessary for the achievement of our urgent social purposes. In that task, society has the right to expect leadership from the business community. It is a legitimate expectation. We should respond to it with vigor and good will.

Evening Session

Address of Appreciation

By His Excellency ABRAHAM RIBICOFF, Governor of Connecticut

WHEN I first accepted this invitation, it was to come here to extend the greetings of the State of Connecticut to the manufacturers of the state. But since the flood of August 19, I would like, instead, to thank the manufacturing industry of Connecticut for its spirit, its energies and its contributions to the economy of this great state.

When the rains came on August 19 they brought the greatest disaster this state has ever had. I would say approximately \$1 billion was subtracted from the economic resources of Connecticut. The economic life of this small state of ours depends upon its manufacturing

industry. In this state there was founded mass production. In this room are representatives of industries that are known nationwide, and indeed worldwide. Our government, education, and the economic sinews that make up our standards of living depend upon the wages that you pay your workmen, the dividends you pay your stockholders, and the taxes you pay to your local communities and the state of Connecticut.

It was obvious to me at 1 o'clock in the morning on that fateful Friday—when I unsuccessfully tried to find a way to Torrington and instead found bridges down and roads out and rivers

where there had never been rivers before—that this state was to wake up that morning with a great question mark concerning its very survival. On that same Friday I called the White House and asked for federal assistance. The Secretary of the Army, Mr. Wilber M. Brucker, came to Hartford the next day. We flew by helicopter over the entire devastated area of the state. I have never seen a sadder sight in my life. It wasn't just a question of homes uprooted and farm buildings strewn over the landscape. There also was, apparently, a prostrate industrial economy.

I flew over buildings that I had

known as a life-long resident of the state and by reputation. It seemed that they would never be able to rise again. It was obvious, right from the start that it wouldn't be just a question of binding up the wounds and feeding the hungry and finding roofs to put over the heads of the homeless. There had to be a message of reassurance and hope for the people of Connecticut that out of this disaster could come a better state than that which stood before.

And I must say at this point that there was nothing more encouraging to me than the attitude of you who represent the manufacturing industry of our state.

Let me give you a few examples.

I went into Ansonia and I came to a plant where large machinery was being placed on flat cars to be taken outside the state and reconditioned. Naturally when people saw this machinery being placed on the flatcars rumors started that the company was going to pull up stakes. I talked to the President of the company and I said to him: "Many of your workers are worried that you are going to move out of Connecticut."

"Hell no! I'm no quitter!" he replied.

That was the Farrel-Birmingham Company, and the president is Franklin Farrel III.

That was a classic remark, because it indicated just what the thinking was in the State of Connecticut.

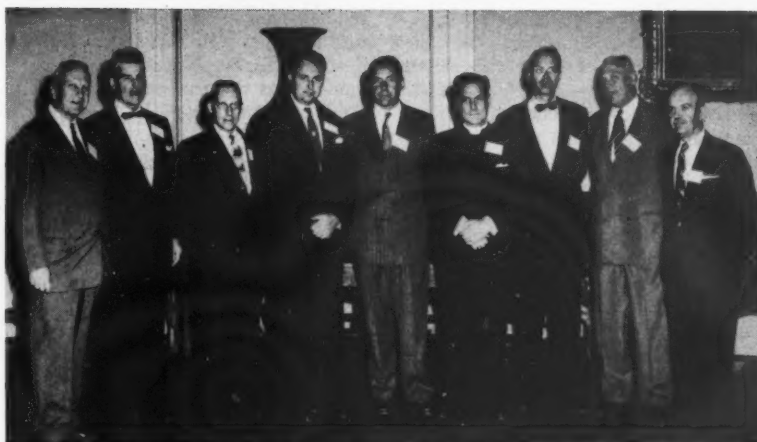
I got a letter from another manufacturer who had been in the Naugatuck Valley for generations. His place had been hard hit. Voluntarily he wrote me and I quote:

"Dear Governor Ribicoff: I can well realize your concern at this time and the concern of the people of the state. I want to say to you that this company was in business for 100 years before the flood and, God willing, we will be in business 100 years after the flood!"

I went to a small town where there was a manufacturing company that was the town. There was nothing else in that community. This company was founded about 1801. I was told that the August flood had come 14 feet higher than any other flood in history. And they keep good records in that company. I would say the plant was about two-thirds destroyed. I walked through the plant about a week after the flood. I asked the president of the company:

"Is there anything the State of Connecticut can do for you, sir?"

"No," he said. "We're going to



GUESTS and MAC officers at the annual meeting. (Left to right) Dexter D. Coffin, vice president, Harrison Fuller, vice president, Albert S. Redway, president, Fred Smith, consultant, Gruen Watch Company; John Coolidge, treasurer; Rev. C. Lawson Willard, rector, Trinity Church on-the-Green, New Haven; Carrol L. Wilson, vice president, Metals and Controls Corp., Attleboro, Mass.; Norris W. Ford, executive vice president, and L. M. Bingham, secretary.

build a more modern plant a little bit back from the river. But I want to thank you, Governor Ribicoff, for coming in and walking through our plant and talking to our men. They have worked hard and tirelessly for one solid week trying to clean up this mess. The fact you came through here gives them encouragement. It will pick up their lagging spirits, and they will work harder still in the weeks ahead."

This is the unquenchable spirit that I found wherever I went.

When I asked another manufacturer if the state could help him, he said:

"No, we don't want anything from the Federal Government or the State Government, but there is another company's trestle washed up against our mill. If the Army Engineers can cart it away, we'll be able to get back into production next week."

The manufacturing industry is the backbone of the economic life of our state. Yet it has shown a two-fold responsibility over and above the responsibility to ownership and management. Everywhere I went I found industries responsible—deeply responsible—to the future welfare of their own employees and to the communities and the state of which they are a vital part.

After these few days of talking to our manufacturers, I no longer was concerned about the siren songs that any states of the South and the West might hand to the manufacturers of Connecticut. I was confident that the state and its people and its industries could rebuild and make Connecticut a better place than it was when the flood struck us on the night of August 19.

There are many tasks ahead. I would guess that the state will undertake certain of them in channels and avenues that the state has never explored before. I was delighted to come here today and see, on this platform, three of the men on the Flood Reconstruction Committee—Norris Ford, John Coe and Sherman Knapp, who was designated as chairman of this committee. This committee is composed of men of imagination—men from the manufacturing field, men from government, men from labor and public utilities and banks. There is a great deal of confidence, on my part, that this committee will come through with a program that the people of the state can accept.

A Governor cannot and never should be in a position where all policy emanates from him and all determination comes from him. I have always had a great deal of respect for the resourcefulness and the knowledge that are the natural repository of the people of a state like Connecticut. It seems to me that the burdens of this reconstruction period must be spread upon the shoulders of all the people. You people have your part to play. You people in many ways will have to pick up the bill. Therefore, it is by having representatives of all the people sit down and help plan for the days ahead that we can do the job.

There is a big job to be done. It is going to take a lot of imagination. You know, when you are felled by the blow you have to get up on your knees and onto your feet again. It is very easy to fight, but a lot of people slough

off once they get up on their feet and start walking again. What we can't do in the State of Connecticut is to spend our money merely to do a patchwork job—to put the stricken communities back in the same positions they were in before this blow struck.

If we have lost \$1 billion of economic resources, we must build those resources back. You know as manufacturers, and I know from my experience that there is only one way of actually building wealth. That is out of production. You can't get it like pie in the sky. And you can't wish for it. You have to work for it. If we are going to build these resources back, the state is going to have to work for it in

modern plants—more modern community plants as well as more modern industrial plants. I have always contended that the true test of an individual, or the true test of a company, or the true test of a nation or a people is how they conduct themselves in time of adversity or defeat. And a true test of Connecticut is the way it will conduct itself in reconstructing a better state.

I am confident that we are going to have a better state. I am confident that we will slough off the blows—the economic blows and the physical blows—that we have received.

I do want to pay this public tribute to the manufacturers of the State of Connecticut for their courage, for their

determination, and for their foresight to stay with the State of Connecticut. You people helped to build the State of Connecticut. You have reared your families here. You have your pride here. You have your roots here.

Those roots and those responsibilities that you have nurtured over generations, in the soil of the state that means so much to all of us, will now help you to rebuild and stick with us because basically the State of Connecticut is all of us. It is the people, it is the resources, and it is the spirit. With such spirit and sense of responsibility, we can look forward to a brighter future for the civic and economic life of Connecticut.

Thank you very much.

THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Informal Report

WHILE the program lists at this point a President's Report, I feel it is expecting too much of the average businessman to listen to such a report, to say nothing of remembering it.

Therefore, my formal report will be printed in the next issue of CONNECTICUT INDUSTRY and I will now make just a few informal remarks.

This Association is a service organization and not a crusading organization. Therefore, the staff is all important. They are the ones who carry out the day to day program for the benefit of our 1400 member companies, some 70% of them employing less than 100 employees. I therefore wish to commend the staff under the able leadership of Norris Ford for what they have accomplished during the past year.

I am also grateful to the Board of Directors and the members of the various committees who have established and formulated the policies that the Association has carried out.

Editors Note—In other remarks during his informal report President Redway enumerated some of the chief activities requiring the constant attention of the Association's staff and paid high tribute to Governor's Ribicoff's leadership during and since the recent flood disaster.



PRESIDENT Albert S. Redway at the rostrum during the evening session.

Formal Report

First, a few comments about this year's General Assembly.

Inasmuch as you have received our weekly reports and Final Report of the General Assembly of 1955, it would be repetitious for me to discuss in detail the results and our efforts to influence legislation. You may rest assured that we did our best throughout both sessions to present industry's viewpoint to all committees and House and Senate leaders on legislative measures affecting manufacturers.

It seems to me that the Governor himself did an excellent job recently in summing up the accomplishments of

the 1955 General Assembly. In a statement reported by Keith Schonrock in the July 3, 1955 issue of the Hartford Courant, the Governor neatly summed up the General Assembly's chief accomplishments when he said, and I quote, "The emphasis in the recent session of the Legislature was on social legislation and many long strides were made in those fields."

The Governor then said, and I quote, "The emphasis in the next session must be on taking steps to improve the efficiency and economy of the state."

We agree with the Governor's analysis of the accomplishments of the 1955 General Assembly. We not only agree but applaud his realistic view that "the emphasis in the next session must be to improve the efficiency and economy of the state."

The necessity for the kind of improved efficiency in the operation of state government that will result in a balanced budget without adding further tax burdens upon industry and business is borne out by the fact that the 1955 Legislature failed to balance the budget for the 1955-1956 biennium, even though it retained the highest taxes in the history of the state. In an effort to meet this deficit, the Governor has already ordered state agencies and department heads to cut back spending and reduce state payrolls by at least 7%.

Again we agree with the Governor that his cutback order is only a temporary expedient; that something on a

long-range and permanent basis must be done if additional tax increases are to be avoided.

It is one thing to see a need for drastic retrenchment in government activity and quite another to accomplish it. We are mindful of the difficulties of drastically reducing expenditures to keep them in balance with income from already burdensome taxation. To bring the state government's budget into balance by the end of the present biennium will be no easy task. But to accomplish it seems a necessary exercise of prudent governmental management in preparation for the even more difficult feat of operating our state government in the 1957-1958 biennium without increasing taxes.

We should be proud that manufacturing industry has been the powerhouse that has made possible, through the creation of wealth, the enjoyment of the world's highest standard of living. We should take even greater pride in the fact that Connecticut's industries have been able to generate wealth sufficient to give the people of this state social gains, on the whole, equal to those of any other state and superior to those received by the people in the overwhelming majority of states.

In many respects, state affairs are like those of a typical family. Once the house has been modernized, a few seemingly necessary household furnishings and clothing have been purchased and a new car is in the garage, the prudent family calls a halt to further commitments of future income until debt retirement or increased income, or both, will safely allow for more capital expenditures.

In effect, this big and prosperous Connecticut family of some 2 million people has just had its spending spree for many seemingly necessary additions to its many-sided house. Practically every member of its family has asked and received some valuable contribution to be paid for partially by present high income but also from the highest borrowings in the history of the state. Prudence and a healthy respect for future expansion of our industrial economy dictates that future government spending must be kept within the confines of income at present levels of taxation. That may mean painful mergers of state departments and severe retrenchment of state services.

I assure you, Governor Ribicoff, that you will receive the wholehearted support of this Association in taking the necessary steps to improve the effi-

ciency and the economical operation of the state.

Association Activities

Since we have made a special effort during the past year to inform you of the widely diversified group and individual services the Association offers and renders to its members on a continuing basis, I shall confine my reporting of Association services chiefly to those features which most readily lend themselves to comparison with former years.

The fact that many time and money saving services rendered by members of the staff are not mentioned should not be construed as a reflection upon the value of the services. Rather that omission is due to lack of time and your patience to listen to the lengthy explanation necessary to a significant understanding of their value.

Insurance Program

First, I would call your attention to the growth of our insurance program. From July 1954 to July 1955, which marks the first full year that the insurance program has been managed as a separate department, growth has exceeded that of any previous year. The Group Life Plan, first inaugurated in 1944, now includes 427 participating companies with 91 of them, or over 20% of the total, joining the plan during the past year. There are now 14,200 executives and supervisory personnel employed by member companies whose lives are insured under our group life plan for a total of \$92 million. Approximately 25% of this group, or 3,571 persons, were included in the program during the past year for a total of \$23,641,000 of insurance protection.

Since our last annual meeting, retroactive rate credit checks amounting to \$6.17 per thousand dollars of insurance carried, and totaling \$354,000 have been mailed to participating member companies. In addition to these refunds, \$462,000 was paid to the beneficiaries of covered personnel.

The past year was also marked by a proportionate growth in our weekly indemnity plan. It now provides 2,400 employees in 125 of our smaller companies with off-the job sickness and accident insurance. Rate credits allowed on this insurance for the past year amounted to 16½% of total premiums.

Our supplemental hospital plan for key personnel now includes almost twice the number of companies that

were participating last year, with a total of 1,828 persons being covered. The cost of this plan has been reduced another 5% during the past year making a total rate reduction of 27% from the original contract premium. Since March 1 of this year, it has been administered by the Association's insurance department, with all details except claims being handled by the staff.

I am pleased to report also that as of July 1, your Association inaugurated, with the Travelers Insurance Company as the underwriter, a Major Medical Insurance Plan. This plan, which had been undergoing serious study by your Board and Travelers Group Insurance officials for the past year, is intended to cover large medical and hospital bills for prolonged illness and accidents not covered by the normal hospital insurance program.

At the time the policy was made effective on July 1, 140 member companies had insured 1451 of their managerial and supervisory employees and their dependents against the hazards of major illness costing up to \$5,000. Widespread interest in this comparatively new type of insurance indicates rapid growth in the future.

Membership

Our growth in membership has been especially significant since September 1954, when, for the first time, a full-time field representative was added to the Association staff. As a result of his continuous contacts in the field, 159 new members have been added to our roster, making a total of more than 1,400 at the present time. In addition, he has made calls upon member companies to remind them of our services and to learn of any problems that they might have that some member of the staff might help to solve.

Domestic and Foreign Commerce

Activity in the Transportation and Export fields was especially brisk during the past year, with the Association participating in a number of proceedings in several highly important motor rate cases. There appears to be a marked trend of the motor carriers toward charging "what the traffic will bear" on non-competitive traffic, while offering rates related to the rail structure on highly competitive traffic. Transportation legislation, advanced by the railroads, which would provide more competitive rates, may well give some relief for shippers if passed by the next Congress.



A SECTION of Yale Dining Hall during the banquet session.

Increased travel to survey foreign markets by members of the Association, combined with industry's need for larger markets, has stepped up the volume of export service inquiries substantially during the year. This increased activity has been reflected by a substantial growth in the volume of translations handled by this department.

Taxation

The Association's regular informational services seek to keep members up to date on all pertinent changes in business taxation laws and regulations, both federal and state. Our Taxation Department has been especially active during the past year in presenting industry's viewpoint to our Congressional delegation and before committees in Congress. Our Taxation Committee has also been reactivated on a nine-times-a-year schedule of meetings rather than a previously normal average of three meetings annually. The committee has studied the proposed regulations under the new 1954 Tax Code and made suggestions for changes that it felt would be advantageous to business and the country generally.

Industrial Development

In addition to its most time-consuming job of publishing and financing the Association's monthly magazine, **CONNECTICUT INDUSTRY**, the Industrial Development Department has experienced its greatest period of activity in answering requests for new product sources, prospect lists and market research data. Likewise, there has been a substantial increase in the number of companies and individuals who have sought the assistance of this department in locating companies that may be purchased. This department has also continued its program of cooperation with the Connecticut Council on Education, the Connecticut Council for the Advancement of Economic Education, the Natural Resources Council and with the Connecticut Federation of Women's Clubs for whom it has been scheduling semi-annual "Industry Day" programs at member plants since 1949.

It is interesting to note also that our publication has grown in size from an average of 49 pages per issue in 1945 to an average of 72 pages thus far in the 1955 fiscal year, and has more

than doubled in size since 1930 while increasing advertising revenue more than 500% in the past 25 years and slightly over 100% in the past ten years.

Public Relations

Our new Public Relations Department has now been in operation slightly more than a year. Its first effort was the production and distribution to members and prospects of an illustrated brochure entitled "Services to Industry," designed to explain the many services the Association renders, and to identify the members of the staff who render them. Judging from the many favorable comments from both members and non-members, this effort has paid good dividends in terms of new members and good will. The cooperative development of a working philosophy or set of objectives for the Association by the newly organized Public Relations Committee, the Board of Directors and the Public Relations Director was the second project. Called "An Affirmation of Purpose," it was widely publicized through **CONNECTICUT INDUSTRY** and all media in Connecticut, as well as being mailed personally in giant post card form to over 4,000 community leaders in the state.

Basically, the Association is now conducting a two-phase communications program. Phase one consists of speaking and acting for the membership as a whole through all media and at all levels. The second phase seeks to promote more and better public relations among its member companies so that they, in turn, may benefit while contributing to improved community relations and to the success of the Association's statewide effort to improve the climate for manufacturing industry. A semi-monthly Public Relations Bulletin, a monthly Public Relations Department in **CONNECTICUT INDUSTRY**, and an up-to-date press, radio and television directory, are at present the three chief methods being used to stimulate more public relations activity among member companies.

While I have omitted a number of other public relations activities in which we have engaged during the past year, I have cited enough to give you a fair understanding of our objectives and the methods we are using to attain them. The help of every member company is needed if we are to set the friendly stage industry needs to play

its increasingly important role in the Connecticut economy in the years ahead.

Industrial Relations

The Association policy of maintaining complete up-to-the-minute files of labor agreements in force in Connecticut has fully met the needs of our members and continues to be one of our more active services. The releases issued by our Industrial Relations Committee have been highly complimented by those members having a

need for such guidance and are so informative that several Associations in other states have asked for and received permission to copy them with but few changes. In such an active and volatile area, your Association will continue to furnish the same type of service.

One of the most popular services rendered by our Industrial Relations Department continues to be the reviewing of new clauses or other changes in labor agreements. Advice from our staff has enabled many of our members to avoid pitfalls resulting from the use of ambiguous language.

satisfy employees. If it could then there would be labor peace in the high-paying industries and continual fightings in the low-paying, but this is just not the case. Employees will only be satisfied when they are convinced they are receiving their fair share of the total intake of the company.

Many employees do not want advancement outside of the work force, but they do want the opportunity. They want to feel the way is open and the ladder up for those of the group who are willing to pay the price. They do not want academic and artificial standards established for advancement. They still enjoy the old American Story of rags to riches . . . floorsweeper to president.

Individuals probably vary as much in their concept of "Worthwhile accomplishment," as any other point. Each defines it for himself. However, without it the employee feels stifled, and stagnates. He must be able to brag about his contribution, at least to himself and his spouse. A well planned production contributes much to this.

People may wear many different hats or titles, but they remain the same individuals. Employees are not a special class of persons with different needs and desires from other groups of people. They respond favorably to the same treatment. They are the same as customers, friends or club members. Treat your employees as friends. Here are the traits of the American working man: individualist, optimist, a sense of fair play, a feeling of pride, and the highest intelligence of any working man in the world. Our public school system makes this true.

Survey after survey shows that employees rate "good supervision" as one of the most important things in their productivity and desire to work for a company. They want from a supervisor: courtesy . . . to be treated as well as plant visitors; fair play . . . questions decided on what's right, rather than who's right; results . . . an answer to their grievances or production problems; someone easy to talk to . . . a supervisor who can listen as well as talk; a supervisor interested in them as individuals.

It is hard to define a "harmonious work atmosphere." It is more than modern plant facilities, clean rest rooms, convenient cafeterias or well-planned personnel programs. Some companies with these have a harmonious working atmosphere, and others who have none of them, also have just

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THE ART OF TOGETHERNESS

Excerpts from an Address

By FRED SMITH, *Consultant*, The Gruen Watch Company

FOR many industries automation is not an "if" but a "when." It is coming. Just like mass production replacing hand labor. And the biggest problem will not be the development, maintenance, or even the purchasing of the electronic equipment. It will be the same human nature problem that plagued the change from hand labor to mass production. With management's prerogatives greatly hedged, the problem will be much more difficult. Many companies with distrustful attitudes in the work force, will spend the time needed to "best" competition, negotiating with militant unions. Employers who have built for cooperative relations will be a far jump ahead in the competitive race. The time to build cooperative labor-management relations is now, not when the problem is hot.

Management has lost, even abrogated, much of its leadership of employees. Fortunately, employees are still interested in genuine management leadership. This leadership must provide: a fair, understandable, and consistent top-management policy, good supervision, a harmonious work atmosphere, and a two-way communication.

The top officials of a company are directly responsible for the human relations in the company. The making and enforcement of policy cannot be delegated. Industry has produced the American high standard of living and now it is its challenge to make the art of living equal to the standard of living. It can be done with the same



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top management emphasis that the other functions of industry have received.

The policy of a company must provide an employee: security, a fair share of the money, an opportunity for advancement, a feeling of worthwhile accomplishment. Employees want security because industry has produced a dependent population. Early America was an agricultural economy with employees having the security of their farm, and using industry to augment their earnings. This has changed. Now industry is their sole support. Security will continue to be important to a dependent work force.

No amount of money, per se, can

An Industrial Engineer Evaluates Technical Aid to Turkey

By MARTIN DORING

Editor's Note: Mr. Doring, the author of this article, is Supervisor of Time Standards at Whitney Blake Company, Hamden, Connecticut, manufacturers of electrical wire and cable, cord sets and connectors. The trip which Mr. Doring discusses in the following article is the second of this type that he has made, the first being a 10 weeks visit to Germany in 1952 as a member of a top management team.

IN September 1954 I arrived in Turkey as a member of a team of four American specialists who were to stay in Turkey for one year introducing American ideas and concepts of management. The team was sponsored by the Council for International Progress in Management as part of the United States Foreign Operation Administration's productivity and technical assistance program.

A substantial portion of the in-Turkey expenses were paid by the Turkish government. The particular field that I was to work in was Production Control. The other team members were Mr. Samuel Beach, of Columbia University, Personnel and Human Relations; Mr. Philip Kelly formerly of McKinsey, Management Consultants—General Management; and Mr. Robert Rodwell of General Electric Company—Cost Accounting and Budgets. The work that we did in Turkey had never been attempted before and actually was the result of many years of experience by the Council for International Progress in Management. It had been the custom for the past six or seven years to send teams of outstanding men from American industry to the free nations of world. Usually, the foreign country requested that a team of American businessmen come over to conduct seminars in their country. This team normally consisted of four or five men, all specialists in their own fields, who conducted a series of one week seminars in the principal cities of the country. Normally they would stay in the country for a period of four to eight weeks.

After conducting many seminars of this type it was felt by our foreign friends that a follow-up of some sort should be made. The reason was that



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there was not sufficient time for discussing anything other than the broad principles of our American methods. Since the foreign industrialists who attended these one week seminars were the top management group, they also desired to have their middle management group learn the details and intimate working of our techniques since they would be the ones to put them into practice in Turkish industry.

Our group was to be such a "follow-up" group working with middle-management and Turkey was to be the first country to receive the benefits of this new intensified program.

A top management team of four men along with one man who was acting in the capacity of a team manager and liaison man preceded us in Turkey. The man in the liaison position was Mr. Philip Garey who is Vice President of the Council For International Progress In Management.

It is interesting to note that although both teams were selected from the entire United States one of the men on the first team was also from Connecticut. Mr. Saul Silverstein is from Rogers, Connecticut and is the President of the Rogers Corporation.

This top management team conducted seminars of one week duration in Izmir, Istanbul, Adana, and Ankara. The job they did was outstanding in that the Turkish industrialists became most interested in both adapting modern management principles and in having their middle management group attend our courses.

Our work in Turkey required us to spend three months each in Izmir, Istanbul, and Ankara. This extended period of time gave us the opportunity to become familiar with the problems of the Turkish industrialists in greater detail than had ever been possible under the old method of spending only one week in each of the major cities. We conducted a series of 35 seminars in each of these cities with the same group of industrialists. It was our objective for each of the companies that were represented in our courses to send one of their people to each course. This meant sending four men to the entire course. Our objective was to train a management team to install their new methods as a group. It was never our practice to tell them what to do but rather how we handled the problem in the United States. They were the experts on Turkey and I always felt that they were in a much better position than we were to know which of our techniques Turkish industry was ready to receive.

When we were not in the class room we were in the factories working with the local manager, directors and owners answering their questions and helping them solve their own problems.

The last phase of our work was to leave behind a nucleus of trained Turkish engineers to continue our work after we left their country. For the most part these engineers were the same

ones who worked with us for the past year. This part of the program is now under way as they are continuing the work we did in the fourth city, Adana.

Interesting Turkish industrialists in adopting modern management principles was a major undertaking as the general thinking of the Turkish industrialists is far different from ours. Turkey is a very new country industrially although it is one of the oldest countries in the world. Until Ataturk's time the country was basically an agricultural one. After this great man became president of what we now know as the Republic of Turkey, industry, as such, received its start. Ataturk realized that Turkey would be finished as a world power unless it could produce the manufactured items that it was importing. As a result, industry received its start in Turkey a little over thirty years ago.

Ever since this starting period the various industries have had a seller's market. They can sell anything they can produce of any quality at a price that is high enough for even the most mismanaged factories, by our standards, to operate at a profit. The net profit at the end of the year is considerably higher than what we are accustomed to in our country. As you may all guess the end result of this condition that has existed from the birth of their industry is that poor management practices exist all over the country. It has been possible for men with little or even no education to become successful business men just because of their natural mechanical ability. Many of them have become millionaires in spite of their lack of good practices, proper techniques and operating conditions. This, coupled with the fact that the general educational level is much lower than what we would consider a bare minimum, leads to conditions that are almost unbelievable and even primitive in some cases.

I visited a small wood working factory and after seeing material in all stages of completion laying all over the floor I asked the man if he had any material handling problems. His answer was "No". Yet these were the conditions. The raw material was delivered to him by boat and was unloaded by men carrying one board at a time and walking a plank from the boat to a horse drawn wagon. The wagon then delivered the wood to a storage shed that was located about one mile from the factory and was again unloaded one board at a time. When the time came to use the ma-

terial it was loaded on a wagon and delivered to the building where the wood was to be cut to size and bent. Again the board by board method of handling was used. After being cut to size and steam bent the material had to be moved to another building about two miles away. This time it was moved by a donkey cart. The method of unloading the cart was to simply dump it in the street.

Here their equivalent of a material handler would pick up the pieces, put them in a basket to move the pieces to the next operation where this entire process would be repeated. Yet when I asked this man if he had a material handling problem his answer was "No". The reason for this answer was that he didn't know that there was a science to solve his problem or that he even had a problem.

Another example in a different field was when Mr. Beach our Personnel man asked a company if they had a personnel problem. Their answer was "No", yet their labor turnover exceeded 30% per year. Again, they didn't know that they even had a problem or that there was a method of solving it.

Many of our simplest practices are unheard of in Turkey today. During my year in Turkey I had the opportunity to visit a soap and vegetable oil factory. In going through this plant I noticed that they had a section of their machine shop that was set aside for the sole purpose of repairing electrical motors. I thought that the number of motors being repaired was excessive and therefore spoke to them about it. Their comment was that it was a severe problem and for that reason set up their own repair shop. I then asked to see their preventative maintenance procedure and they said that they had none. I then asked how often the motors were oiled and they said that they didn't know. After a while they said that they were probably never oiled. As a result of our conversation they assigned one man to oil the motors periodically. When I saw the man several months later he was most enthused and told me that he had no motor failures.

To simplify his oiling and greasing procedures I suggested that he paint each oil can and grease gun a different color indicating a different kind of grease or oil. Then to paint a circle around the fitting on the machine with the corresponding color. Using this method even a person that could not read or write could properly lubricate

a machine — Scientific Preventative Maintenance.

Another one of my applications of "Scientific Management" was in the field of Inventory Control. One plant had considerable trouble in maintaining the correct minimum quantity of parts in their stock bins. I asked them to place in the bin the number of parts that they considered a minimum quantity. When this was done I noticed how much of the bin was full. Then I asked them to remove the pieces and paint the bottom portion of the bin with red paint. The purpose of this was that when the pieces got down to the level where the stock clerk could see red he automatically knew that he had reached the minimum quantity or as we would say—The Re-Order Point—Again Scientific Management.

Our progress was aided by the fact that the vast majority of the young Turks received their higher education in Germany, France, England, or the United States. Therefore, they know that there are better methods of manufacturing than they are using. Unfortunately the need to install better techniques and methods does not exist today due to lack of competition. However, with the rapid pace at which Turkish industry is growing and expanding today I am certain that in the near future they will know competition. When this point comes they will be forced into installing modern methods.

Industrially Turkey will make many mistakes in the near future and some of them will even set back their progress. This, I feel is not too important over the long range picture, for the one sure way to keep from making mistakes is by doing nothing. Therefore, I feel that it is a healthy sign to see them making mistakes as it is a good indication that they are working. Knowing the Turk I feel certain that the end result will be a rapid improvement.

The rate at which the standard of living is increasing in Turkey is probably the most rapid in the world today. Just a few years ago Turkey was exporting olive oil. Since then they have increased their annual production of olive oil several times above what it was then. Today there is an acute shortage of olive oil in Turkey—Why—Because the demand for soap has increased at a much more rapid rate than industry has been able to expand. One of the owners of a soap

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A NEW FOCUS on Executive Training*

By IRVING R. WESCHLER, Ph.D., MARVIN A. KLEMES, M.D.

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"Sensitivity training," one approach to management development programs, emphasizes that executives should see themselves and others realistically, understand their own feelings and prejudices, and be sensitive to the ways people relate to each other. As the trainees examine themselves and the impact they have on one another, they also develop specific skills for the handling of various human relations problems. This novel training approach, clinical in its orientation, has resulted in far-reaching changes in the ways in which people work together on management teams.

IT HAPPENED at the fifth meeting. For four weeks, thirty executives had been coming to the campus of the University to attend a workshop in supervision. At each meeting they had sought to clarify their aims, and had continually tried to get the "professors" to lay down a set of rules. "You're the experts here," they said; "you tell us what we can do to become more effective!"

At the fifth meeting, the group's feeling about its own progress became the initial focus of discussion. The "talkers" participated as usual, conversation shifting rapidly from one point to another. Dissatisfaction was mounting, expressed through loud, snide remarks by some, and through apathy by others.

George Franklin appeared particularly disturbed. Finally, pounding the table, he exclaimed, "I don't know what is going on here! I should be paid for listening to this drive. I'm getting just a bit sick of wasting my time around here. If the 'profs' don't put out—I quit!" George was pleased. He was angry and he had said so. As he sat back in his chair, he felt he had the group behind him. He felt he'd had the guts to say what most of the others were thinking! Some members of the group applauded loudly, but many others showed obvious disapproval. They wondered why George was excited over so trivial an issue; why he hadn't done something constructive rather than just sounding off, as usual. Why, they won-

dered, did he say their comments were "drivel"?

George Franklin became the focus of discussion. "What do you mean, George, by saying this is nonsense?" "What are you really mad at, George?" "What do you expect—a neat set of rules to meet all of your problems?" George was getting uncomfortable. These were questions difficult for him to answer. Gradually, he began to realize that a large part of the group disagreed with him; then he began to wonder why. He was learning something about people he hadn't known before. New questions were raised—some relating to the job: "How does it feel, George, to have people disagree with you when you thought you had them behind you?" "Is it important for you to know who is really with you and who isn't?" "How does this apply to the plant?" "What can we do to find out how our employees really feel about us?"

Bob White was first annoyed with George and now with the discussion. He was getting tense, a bit shaky perhaps. Bob didn't like anybody to get a

raw deal—and he felt that George was getting it. At first, Bob tried to minimize George's outburst; then he suggested that the group get on to the real issues, but the group continued to focus on George. Finally, Bob said, "Why don't you leave George alone and stop picking on him? We're not getting anywhere this way."

With the help of the leaders, the group focused on Bob. "What do you mean, 'picking' on him?" "Why, Bob, have you tried to change the discussion?" "Why are you so protective of George?" Bob began to realize that the group *wanted* to focus on George; he also saw that George didn't think that he was being picked on, but felt that he was learning something about himself and about how others reacted to him. "Why do I always get 'upset,'" Bob began to wonder, "when people start to look at each other? Why do I feel sort of sick when people get angry at each other? Why don't my people ever talk back to me—do I let them get it off their chests, or do I cut them off?" Now Bob was learning something about how people saw him, while gaining some insight into his own behavior. Not much yet, but just enough to work on—perhaps. Some other time he would feel free to explore this a bit further.

Most executives, as illustrated above, can talk the "human relations" language, but fewer are able to put into practice some of the ideas to which they so readily subscribe. It is often interesting, for example, to watch some of the

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proponents of the "open-door" policy of communications violate the very spirit of the practice to which administratively they are so loudly committed. A recent hit play makes the same point dramatically when a commanding officer of an occupation unit in the Far East threatens to "teach the natives democracy if I have to shoot every one of them." Sensitivity training¹ attempts, therefore, to close the gap between knowing and doing by exposing the participants to both the intellectual and the emotional understanding needed for effective performance.

The Aims of Sensitivity Training

There are several specific aims in this type of training. First, each trainee should get a better picture of the kind of person he is, of the impact he has on others, and of the characteristic behaviors he employs to protect himself against real or imagined threats. As a result of the training process, he is likely to discover some of his "blind spots"—those problem areas in his personality which he is unable to perceive without gross distortion and which frequently operate to his detriment in relating to others.

Second, the participants should check the accuracy of their perceptions as to what other people are like. Many trainees tend to think in stereotypes, which if strong may drastically color their perceptions. Participants learn to recognize individual differences, to accept them for what they are, and to understand better how their own needs and desires distort their perceptions of others.

Third, the participants should obtain more factual information, useful and pertinent in this area. This may include some theory and research data on individual differences, personality, leadership, communication, and group dynamics.

Fourth, each trainee should develop new "human relations" skills, including ways of dealing with conflicts and tensions. As the participants put into practice their understanding of themselves

and others, they learn how to communicate effectively, how to interview and listen, how to inform and evaluate, how to praise and discipline, and how to motivate. These specific skills can usually not be acquired until some of the insights mentioned above have first been attained.

Finally, the participants should be helped to become more aware of "group process," those forces unique to a group which ultimately may result in its success or failure. They should learn to recognize functional and blocking member roles; they should become aware of, and learn to deal with, "hidden agenda," those personal or situational pressures which simmer underneath a surface of good manners and friendly interchange; they should become acquainted with the procedural skills which allow a group to get its work done in the most expeditious manner.

The Nature of the Training Process

Sensitivity training is still experimental. As carried out in university workshops, group development laboratories, and plant settings, no single formula for conducting this type of training has been developed. In general, however, certain essential elements have emerged.

First, the training is "feeling-oriented" as well as "content-oriented." The participants learn to deal not only with specific cases and examples from their "on-the-job" situations, but also to analyze their own reactions and feelings toward one another and toward the situations in which they become involved at the training session.

Second, a certain amount of frustration appears to be essential to the success of the training. Each person attempts to keep his concept of himself intact, and little training impact can be expected unless the trainee is able to examine his "self-concept," to re-evaluate it, and to instigate those changes which he feels would benefit him. The process is not an easy one; we must experience frustration and anxiety in order to gain some insight into our "inner selves." These insights cannot be learned by reading a book; they arise most easily in the "give and take" of interpersonal relations.

Trainees Decide What To Talk About

Third, the training design is partly unstructured. Opportunities are pro-

vided for the trainees to decide what they want to talk about, what kinds of problems they desire to deal with, and what means to use in reaching their goals. As the trainees deal with these problems, they begin to act in characteristic ways—some participate freely, some remain silent, some dominate the discussion, and some become angry. These and other modes of dealing with problems become "grist for the mill"—they provide jumping-off points for discussion and analysis.

Fourth, auxiliary training devices and techniques are utilized to facilitate the interaction process among the participants. Included are the use of case studies, role-playing, buzz groups, film forums, and the like. At present, we think that these training devices should be introduced rather early in the training experience in order to place trainees in the kinds of situations to which they are more accustomed. As training progresses, artificial stimuli will be less frequently needed to produce the "raw material" of the training process.

Fifth, a permissive atmosphere is maintained. When people know that their attitudes are respected and their feelings accepted, full participation is facilitated. Since the expression of attitudes and feelings is essential to the training process, even when people feel they might appear unkind, impolite or perhaps ridiculous, the group atmosphere must remain friendly enough so that these sentiments can be elicited.

A permissive atmosphere is not easy to describe. We know it does not exist when the discussion leader insists on imposing his own goals, ideas and methods. We must not be fooled by the "let's all join in the fun" appeal of some service organizations, the "let's be a happy family" flavor of some industrial concerns or college campuses, or the phony "hi, Joel!" variety of "heartly atmosphere." It is only when discussions are characterized by a lack of moralistic or judgmental attitudes toward almost anything that might be said, when people feel free to speak frankly and to listen with understanding that true "permissiveness" can be said to exist.

Expressions of Resistance to the Training Process

In the training situation, no attempt is made to tell participants whether to change or how to change. They are helped to see themselves more objectively; if, then, they are dissatisfied with certain aspects of their behavior,

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¹For related philosophies and methods of training, see Robert Tannenbaum, Verne Kallajian, and Irving R. Weschler, "Training Managers for Leadership," *Personnel*, 30, 4, Jan., 1954, pp. 254-260; also Herbert A. Thelen, *Dynamics of Groups at Work*, Chicago, Ill., The University of Chicago Press, 1954, 379 pp., and National Training Laboratory in Group Development, *Explorations in Human Relations Training: An Assessment of Experience, 1947-1953*, Washington, D.C., National Education Association, 1953, 87 pp.

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NEWS FORUM

This department includes a digest of news and comment about Connecticut Industry of interest to management and others desiring to follow industrial news and trends.

A MAN who went to work for Hamilton Standard Division of United Aircraft Corp. 31 years ago on a week's trial has moved into the top manufacturing post of the Windsor Locks aviation company. Alexander F. Mannella recently was named general superintendent, a position vacant since 1948.

Mr. Mannella's post as production superintendent-machining was filled by the promotion of Floyd V. White. In another major change, James I. Vandergrift was promoted to production superintendent of the Broad Broad plant.

Mr. Mannella, who attended the Pittsburgh School of Automotive Engineering and worked for Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company at Pittsburgh, joined Standard Steel Propeller Company, one of the present company's two predecessors, in 1925.

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MALLEABLE IRON FITTINGS Company, Branford, has appointed Owen R. Huggins to the post of man-

ager of sales of its pole hardware division. Mr. Huggins joined the Branford firm from one of the largest coast-to-coast distributors of machinery and associated supplies, where he was vice president and sales director.

In announcing Mr. Huggins' appointment, T. F. Hammer, President of Malleable Iron Fittings Company, emphasized the company's expansion of its pole hardware product line.

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THE APPOINTMENTS of William F. Minor, Jr. as comptroller, and William J. Weir as sales manager of The Rolling Mill Division of The Miller Company, Meriden, were announced recently by Frederick R. Slagle, vice president and manager of The Rolling Mill Division.

Mr. Minor has been assistant to Mr. Slagle for the past two years and first joined the company in 1939 after being graduated from Yale University.

Mr. Weir joined the Meriden firm after 21 years with Chase Brass & Copper Company of Waterbury,

The Cover



THIS MONTH'S cover photo shows a display of early clocks at the Bristol Clock Museum. In the center is the original model of Eli Terry's clock in which the short pendulum has been adapted to the wooden movement. Flanking this are two examples of the sharp Gothic—the case invented and patented by Elias Ingraham. On either end are shown examples of the four-point Oriental Gothic of Brewster & Ingrahams.

where he has been sales manager of wholesale accounts.

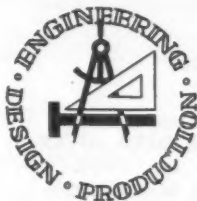
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MORRIS F. KETAY, president, and Paul W. Adams, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Norden-Ketay Corporation, have announced that the Board of Directors has appointed Perry R. Roehm to be executive vice president of the company. Mr. Roehm was formerly vice president of the company, in charge of engineering and sales.

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The other describes Hartford Special's newly designed Automatic Cam Fed Drill Units featuring faster cycling, narrow construction and greater flexibility.

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A NEW LINE of Uniclosed horizontal motors with face type mounting brackets for direct connection to driven equipment has been developed by U.S. Electrical Motors, Inc., Milford. The motors, built to rated NEMA specifications, are said to be extremely compact, with more horsepower in less space. Fitted with U.S. unimount face-type mounting brackets in either NEMA Style C or Style D specifications, the motors can be easily connected and automatically aligned to the driven equipment.

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A NEW SYNCHRONOUS motor driven time delay relay has been added to the line of electrical timing devices manufactured by The R. W. Cramer Company, Inc., Centerbrook. Designated Type 412, it incorporates many desirable new features and is interchangeable with its popular predecessor, Type 410.

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JOSEPH O'BRIEN was elected president of The Bristol Brass Corporation at a recent meeting of the board of directors. He moved up from the position of vice president and general superintendent to fill the position left vacant when Roger E. Gay was given a leave of absence to undertake a special assignment in the Department of Defense in Washington.

Otto VonAu, former president of Bristol Brass' wholly-owned subsidiary, The Accurate Brass Corporation, was elected vice president.

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for thirty-eight years. Before he became vice president and general superintendent in 1952, he had been vice president in charge of sales, sales manager, and assistant sales manager. He had been a salesman for Bristol Brass, covering the territories of New York State and later Providence.

Mr. VonAu had been president of Accurate Brass for thirty years before it was acquired by Bristol Brass last year.

Joseph T. Hassett has been appointed general superintendent. He had been assistant general superintendent since 1953, moving up from his position as head of the Time Study and Methods Department. He has been with the firm since 1939.

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DOUGLAS M. GRAY, who since 1946 has been district sales manager for the American Brass Co. at its Boston office, has been appointed assistant sales manager of the Torrington Division of the company. He will be succeeded by Frederick G. Sims, Jr. as Boston district sales manager. Both appointments were announced by John A. Coe, Jr., ABC president.

Mr. Gray, a native of Waterbury, attended Dartmouth College and Bentley School of Accounting and Finance. He joined The American Brass Co. in May 1934 in the Waterbury division as a trainee, and was transferred to the Boston office in June, 1935.

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A NEW COURSE to develop fuller understanding of the capabilities of older persons is being offered by Hillyer College as part of its program in gerontology. The course, entitled "Counselling the Older Employee," is designed for professional people in industry and social organizations. Personnel managers, supervisory members of personnel departments, and professional social workers will develop the methods by which the employee's later life can be made more meaningful and useful.

The course includes lectures by Frederick W. Novis, Ph.D., Chairman, Board of Directors, New England Chapter of the National Rehabilitation Association. Panels consisting of local and out-of-state specialists with experience in the various aspects of gerontology will also be a part of the course.

David C. King, consultant on Gerontology for Hillyer College, and a member of the executive board, Con-

necticut Society of Gerontology, is in charge of preparation for the course, and will direct the series. Co-ordinator for the course is Dr. Sigmund Adler, retired, president of the Connecticut Association of School Boards.

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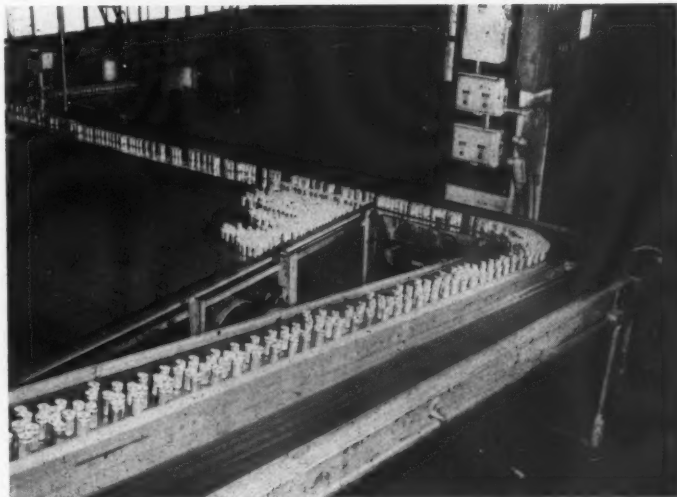
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THE SOUNDSCRIBER CORPORATION, New Haven, manufacturers of electronic disc dictating and recording equipment, has announced the appointment of Robert S. Heath as advertising assistant to the vice president. Mr. Heath will assume responsibility for national advertising, sales promotion, direct mail, publicity and field publications. He was formerly on the executive staff of the Hartford Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Heath is a graduate of the University of Bridgeport, and served that institution as assistant public relations director.

It has also been announced that Raymond W. Sprague has been promoted to secretary of the corporation. In his former post of assistant secretary, Mr. Sprague handled the firm's contract matters exclusively. In his new position he has been assigned the added respon-

sibility of administration including accounting and personnel departments.

Mr. Sprague joined the SoundScriber staff in February of this year. He was formerly assistant to the secretary of Veeder-Root, Inc., Hartford, and prior to that was contract administrator for the U. S. Navy Bureau of Aeronautics during the Korean conflict.

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A NEW TRAINING PROGRAM for employees at the American Velvet Company, Stonington, has been announced by the company and the employees' union.

The program was worked out by the union and plant management in another of the progressive efforts of the company to increase efficiency under the profit-sharing system. The plan includes the training of carpenters, machinists, pipefitters and other maintenance workers as well as weavers and loomfixers.

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A BROCHURE describing the application of BINOTROL, a punched tape control system, to a Jones & Lamson turret lathe to make it completely automatic, has just been published by Barnes Engineering Company, Stamford.

The eight page booklet, which is available on request from the company, describes the operating principles of BINITROL and relates in detail how all of the motions of the lathe are completely controlled by the new system. Preparation of the punched tape, application of binary number coding to the lathe's functions, and advantages of the new lathe are also discussed.

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APPROXIMATELY 5,000 active and retired employees of the New Haven Railroad will be honored for their long service (35 or more years) at a series of seven dinners to be held this Fall, in an extension of a program started last year by Patrick B. McGinnis, president. He decided that the railroad should not wait until an employee had reached the half-century mark before receiving recognition.

Last year the dinners were held for employees with forty or more years of service, and those in active service were presented with a share of New Haven stock. All were presented with lifetime "gold" passes and special leather pass cases. The presentation of lifetime passes will be extended to include all with thirty-five or more years of continuous service.

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THE APPOINTMENT of Stanley G. Fisher, vice president of Landers, Frary and Clark, New Britain, to the position of general sales manager has been announced by the company.

He will succeed Albert S. Bross, who resigned recently to accept a position as vice president in charge of sales for the O. A. Sutton Corporation, Wichita, Kansas.

For the past four years Mr. Fisher has been sales manager of the Electric Housewares Division of Landers. He joined the company in 1946 and has held various positions in the sales department, being elected a vice president in 1954.

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A FOLDER describing the evolution of three dimensional cams from theory to working finished product is available from the Parker Stamp Works, Inc., Hartford.

Featured in this technical bulletin are illustrations indicating the infinite number of stations possible on three dimensional cams produced by Parker.

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ROBERT GAIR COMPANY, INC., manufacturers of paperboard and paper products, has acquired license rights to manufacture and sell Smarty Pak corrugated containers, combination shipping and carrying cases with handles, from Edward E. Muhs of Berkeley, California, the inventor.

According to William T. May, Jr., vice president in charge of container operations, Smarty Pak is a one-piece die-cut case with a novel construction that permits it to be used as a shipping container, a mailer or a carrier. Since the flaps lock together without gluing it can readily be converted

from one use to another. It can be used as a merchandise shipper by manufacturers, a carry-out case by retail stores, and for a variety of purposes by the consumer.

At present Smarty Pak is made in "Junior" and "Senior" sizes which weigh 14 and 16 ounces, respectively, and will carry 25 to 30 pounds of merchandise.

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THE MICRO-HEIGHT GAGE, now being produced by Greist Manufacturing Company, New Haven, is used for laying out and inspecting metal dies, and is read just like a micrometer without further calculations of any kind. The result, according to the manufacturer, is faster and more accurate readings than any height gage now on the market.

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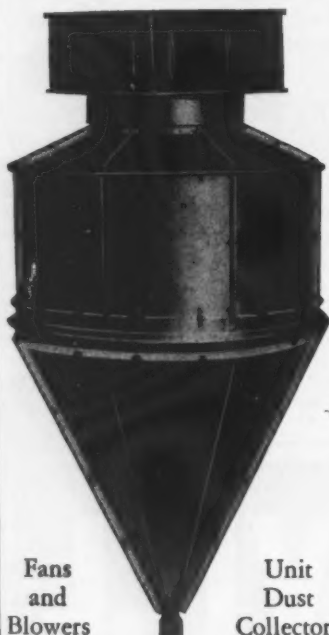
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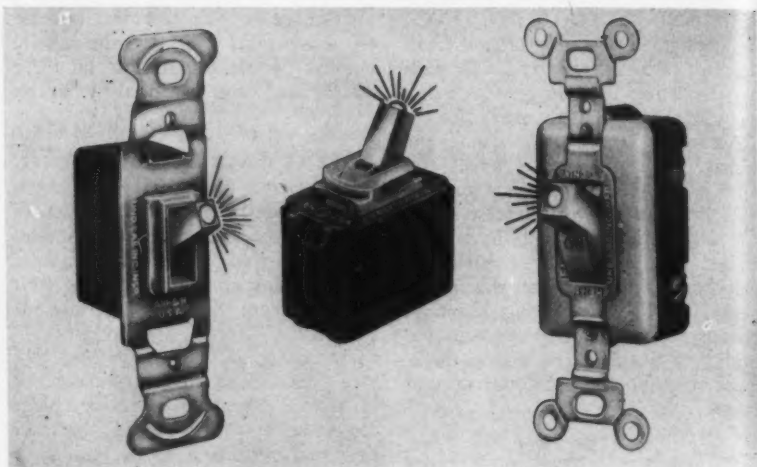
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ARROW-HART Glow-Tip Quietie Switches are recommended for installation near entrance doors; in nurseries; at the bottom or top of stairways; in schoolrooms and school corridors, in warehouses, workshops and garages.

The basic gage has a two-inch direct reading in thousandths which is easily increased to three inches by reversing the scribe. By adding a three-inch riser to the base, the gage's capacity extends to six inches. To determine distances between heights or holes, a dial indicator is used in place of the steel scribe. A satin chrome finish makes the gage rustproof and easy to read.

Patent rights to the Micro-Height Gage recently were purchased by Greist from the Fairfield Gauge Company of Bridgeport. Distribution, through industrial supply houses, will be increased considerably during the coming year and will be on a nationwide basis.

ANNOUNCEMENT of the availability of Glo-Tip Quietie Switches has been made by The Arrow-Hart & Hegeman Electric Company, Hartford. Every switch in the new line can now be supplied with a radioactive luminous button situated in the tip of the operating lever.

The manufacturer states that these Glo-Tip buttons will glow continuously, since, unlike fluorescent-type materials, radioactive luminous material is not dependent upon daylight to build up luminous properties.

The switches are said to be suitable for home, commercial and industrial installations whenever it is desirable that the light switch may be located instantly during darkness.

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THE ELECTION of Frederick Bowes, Jr. to the newly created post of vice president for public relations and advertising of Pitney-Bowes, Inc., Stamford, has been announced by Walter H. Wheeler, Jr., president.

Appointed director of public relations and advertising in 1945, Mr. Bowes started with Pitney-Bowes as a service mechanic in 1930. He has been with the company ever since, except for two prewar years with Batten, Barton, Durstine and Osborn, advertising agency, and three years with the War Production Board.

Mr. Bowes is a director of the Advertising Council, and a former director of the Association of National Advertisers. He is the immediate past president of the Public Relations Society of America.

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SUBJECT to the approval by the Connecticut Public Utilities Commission, directors of The Southern New England Telephone Company voted at a meeting in New Haven recently to issue 543,209 additional shares of common stock.

The board also elected two new directors, Edward C. Bullard of Bridgeport and John A. Coe, Jr., of Waterbury, and voted a regular quarterly dividend of fifty cents a share.

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JOSEPH W. POWDRELL, former president and chairman of the board of Powdrell and Alexander, Inc. Danielson, died recently at his home in Brooklyn, Conn.

Born in Mount Forest, Ontario, Mr. Powdrell came to the United States with his parents, settling in Worcester, Mass. In 1916 he joined the Martin Manufacturing Company in West Newton, Mass., manufacturers of curtains and curtain fabrics. Three years later he and Mr. J. S. Alexander opened the first plant of Powdrell and Alexander, Inc.

In the twenties the plant moved to Danielson, taking over plants on Main Street, Attawaugan, Ballouville, Pineville and the Connecticut Mills property. Later, a chain of manufacturing plants was opened across the country.

In 1948, after having been president of Powdrell and Alexander for 32 years, Mr. Powdrell was elected chairman of the board of directors, which position he held until his retirement in 1950.

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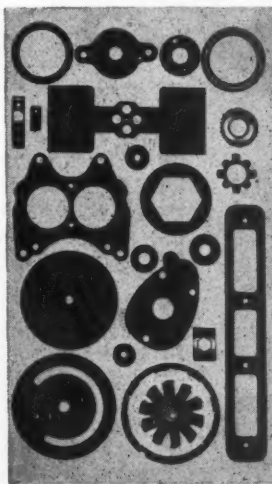
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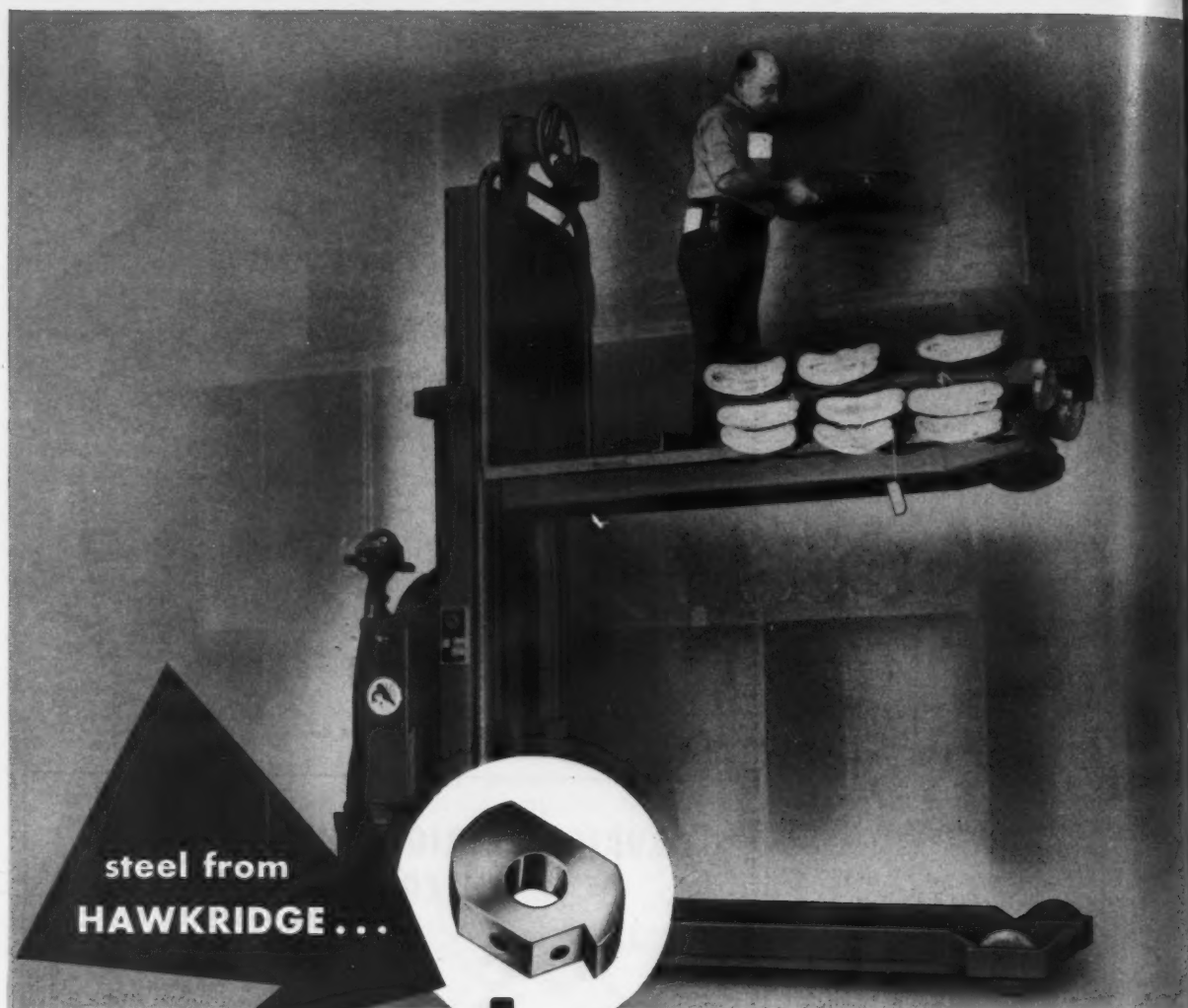
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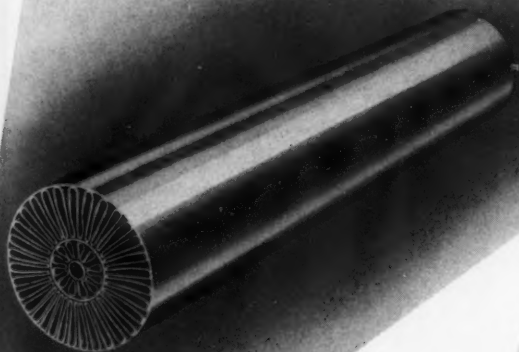
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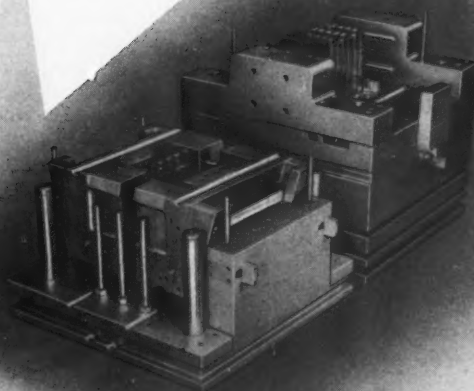


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Safer smoking is another Hawkrige application field. Already hundreds of thousands of this Aqua-filter, made by Lakewood Metal Products, Inc., Waterbury, Conn., have been made from aluminum supplied by Hawkrige, and, in addition, the experimental tools that produced the first Aquafilter were made from Hawkrige tool steel.

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VEEDER ROOT, INC., Hartford, will build a branch plant on the outskirts of Altoona, Pennsylvania, it was recently announced by Harvey L. Spaunburg, president. The decision to expand operation outside the Hartford area, Mr. Spaunburg said, is due to a number of factors as follows: Lack of space to carry on efficient manufacturing operations at the present level of business in the Hartford plant; lack of more land for expansion of the plant at its present location; and government's desire for dispersal of new plant construction.

Altoona was selected for the site of the new branch because it is located practically in the center of the company's market for computers, meter duplicators and visible registers. Its general supply of natural gas, its location on the main line of the Pennsylvania Railroad and on a network of super-highways, nearness to raw material supplies and its supply of skilled employees, were other factors favoring the selection of Altoona.

Present intentions are to move meter assembly, computer assembly and related machining operations to Altoona, but to supply parts for these products, other than die castings, from the Hartford plant. While this move will necessitate some transferring of employees in the Hartford plant to different jobs, it is felt that the effect on the employees in the Hartford plant will be negligible. The new plant is not expected to be ready for occupancy until August or September 1956, thus giving ample time for planning transfers carefully.

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WALTER E. DITMARS, president of The Gray Manufacturing Company, Hartford, recently received a signal honor and special commendation from J. Edgar Hoover for his company's aggressive anti-communist advertising campaign.

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WALTER E. DITMARS, president of The Gray Manufacturing Company, Hartford, is shown receiving the first annual Patriotic Advertising Award from the Sons of the American Revolution, on the steps of Federal Hall Memorial in New York City. The award is being presented by Robert Pierce, president of the New York chapter of the S.A.R.

eral Hall Memorial in New York City, Mr. Ditmars received the first annual Patriotic Advertising Award from the Sons of the American Revolution. The award was accompanied by a message from J. Edgar Hoover, delivered by Edgar Williams, Jr., president general of the National Society of S.A.R. Mr. Hoover wrote:

"The fight against communism is a continuing fight. There simply cannot be any time for relaxation. Communism is an enemy which seeks to destroy our free form of Government. In a communist state, there would be no room for freedom of speech, religion or the press. A small clique of leaders would be in control. Our heritage of freedom, for which our forefathers fought, would be destroyed.

"This means that every freedom-loving American must rally to the cause. The fight is not one for the few, but for all. We can defeat Communism if we are alert to our responsibilities as citizens.

"I feel that your efforts in pointing out the threat of Communism are a most praiseworthy public service."

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A NEW GRAB for horizontal handling of heavy steel coils that vary in width, using a minimum of aisle space, has been announced by Mansaver Industries, Inc., New Haven. According to the manufacturer, pick-up and re-



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CHARLES H. DONAHUE, JR., has been appointed assistant to the general sales manager and will direct advertising and sales promotion for the Gray Manufacturing Co., Hartford, it has been announced by Walter E. Dimars, president.

In his new post Mr. Donahue will be responsible for the national advertising of both Gray and its subsidiary, Gray Research and Development, Inc., Manchester, and will work from Gray's New York City offices.

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION of the Standards Engineers Society held September 27, 28 and 29 at Hotel Statler, Hartford, was attended by some of the nation's leading engineers and administrators.

Robert P. Stacy, vice president in charge of administration of the Connecticut Light and Power Company, welcomed the national group. Mr. Stacy is also first vice president of the Connecticut Chamber of Commerce and chairman of the Connecticut Division of the New England Council.

The latest developments in applying standards to progress in industry, government and distribution were treated in a series of panel discussions by several speakers.

A highlight of the meeting was the presentation of awards to outstanding

engineers who have contributed to the development and use of standards.

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A "SIGHT-SAVING" and vision improvement program for employees of Pitney-Bowes, Inc., Stamford, announced last Spring, went into effect recently on a plant-wide basis with nearly 1,000 factory-connected men and women wearing fitted plain or prescription safety glasses.

Completion of the project followed two earlier phases in which effected employees first had their vision measured and later were fitted for "plano" (non-prescription) or prescription safety glasses according to their need. Those requiring prescriptions were examined by their choice of optometrist or eye doctor. All other costs, including glasses, frames and fitting, were paid for by the company.

According to Fred T. Allen, vice president for manufacturing, the program stemmed from the success of an experiment started last year, when all workers in a test area were fitted with shatterproof glasses, resulting in an 87 per cent reduction in eye injuries in the isolated sections.

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THE 1955-1956 PROGRAM of the Hartford Chapter, Society for Advancement of Management has recently been announced. All meetings of the group are held at the Bond Hotel in Hartford. The program from November through June has been outlined as follows:

November 17—John Gilbreth will serve as chairman of this meeting devoted to the subject "Management Development." The speaker will be Frank M. Oglee, consultant, Manager Development, General Electric Company, Ossining, New York.

December 8—Leon J. Dunn, Chairman. John S. Higgins, president, Whittier Higgins Co., Providence, Rhode Island, will speak on "A New Look at Industrial Relations."

January 19—S. A. Brown, Chairman. "Linear Programming" is the topic to be discussed by Harry T. Schwan, vice president, Methods Engineering Council, Pittsburgh, Pa.

February 16—Archibald Williams, Chairman. John Diebold, editor and associate publisher, Automatic Control, Reinhold Publishing Co., New York, will talk on "Automation—Recent Developments".

March 15—Ellsworth S. Grant, Chairman. Hiram S. Hall, consultant,

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Wallace Clark and Company, Inc., New York, will speak on "Incentives in Union Negotiations."

The April meeting will be in the form of "Student Night" and will be held at The University of Connecticut at a date to be announced later.

May 17—John J. Boyle, Chairman. "Clerical Work Measurement" is the topic to be discussed by Paul B. Mulligan of Paul B. Mulligan and Co., New York.

June 14—The annual business meeting is scheduled for this date, with a social hour at 6:30 P.M., dinner at 7:00 and a technical meeting at 8:00, followed by open discussion.

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In the state's dignified building, with each booth freshly decorated with flowers supplied by the Connecticut Florists Association, each of the manufacturers unquestionably advanced his own cause. Together they brought credit to the state and increased the prestige of the manufacturing fraternity. Once again, the industry's wisdom and foresight in its initial financial help in building the state's prideful structure in West Springfield was emphatically affirmed. Because we have such a building, and because our alert manufacturers are taking advantage of it, there are more people today both in Connecticut and throughout New England who feel just a little friendlier to Connecticut industry.

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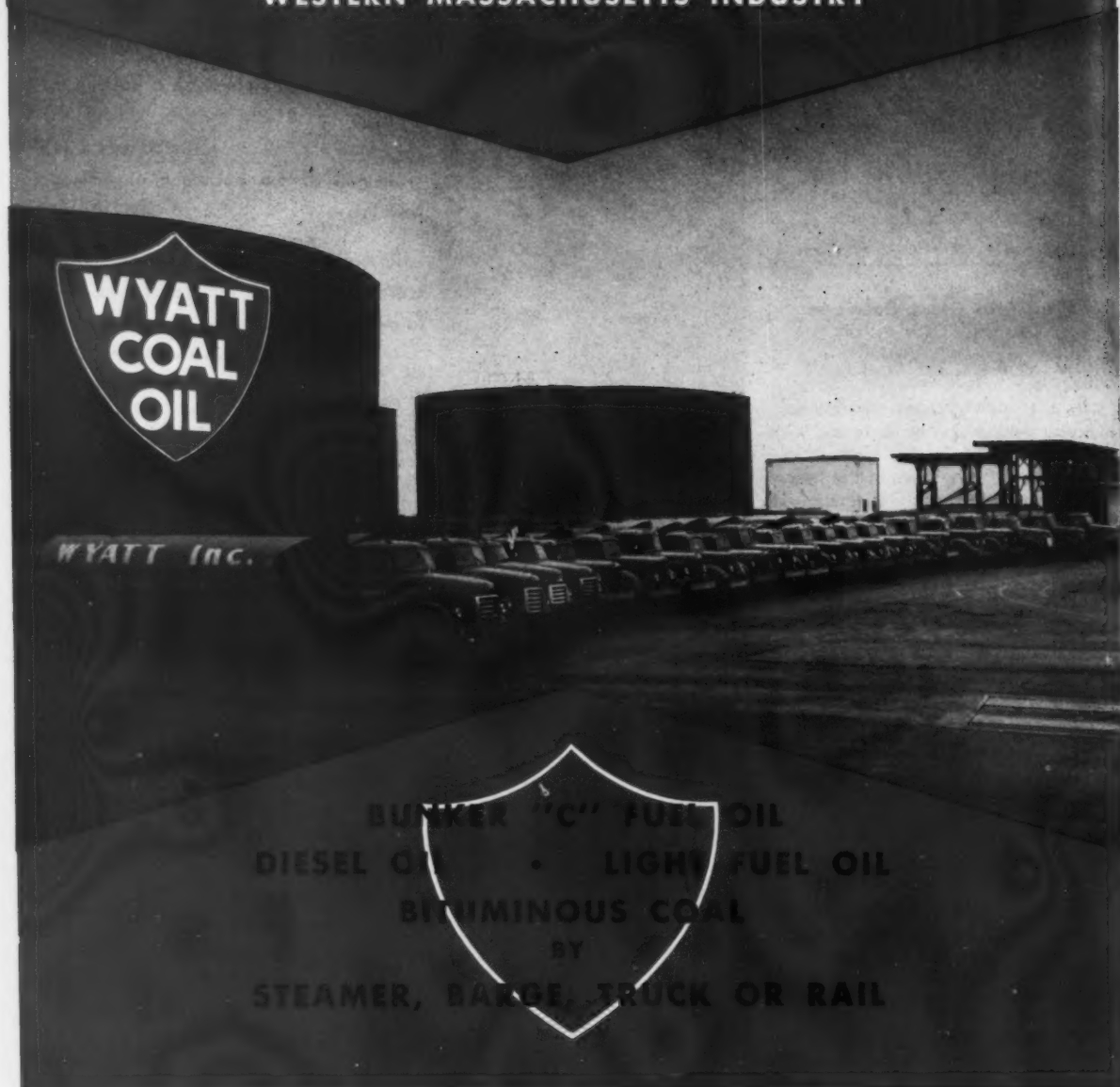
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Ten years is a brief period in the life of a community or a state and that so much progress has been made in this time is due in large measure to the able leadership of the chairman of the Connecticut Committee for the Employment of the Physically Handicapped, Mr. John L. Connors, who has devoted so much of his time and effort these past ten years to this very worthwhile project. The accomplishments are particularly noteworthy since the Connecticut committee has worked entirely without financial support either public or private for these many years.

Connecticut At The Machine Tool Show

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ret lathes, horizontal boring, milling and drilling machines and its well-known Mult-Au-Matic line of machines; The New Britain Gridley Machine Division, The New Britain Machine Co., exhibiting fifteen machines (see descriptive caption under photo); and the Pratt and Whitney Co., West Hartford, showing in its large display samples of its widely diversified line of machine tools. *Connecticut Industry* regrets that only the last three mentioned companies have made available sample photos of portions of their exhibits which could be included in this brief report of the Machine Tool Show and Connecticut's part in it.



PART of the 5400 square foot area assigned to The Bullard Company, Bridgeport, at the National Machine Tool Builders Show in Chicago. The company displayed their 76" Cut Master Vertical Turret Lathe, Model 75; 26" Man-Au-Trol Vertical Turret Lathe, Model 75; a 3" and 5" Horizontal Boring, Milling and Drilling Machine, Model 75; and a 10" 12 spindle and 14" 8 spindle Type "L" Mult-Au-Matic.



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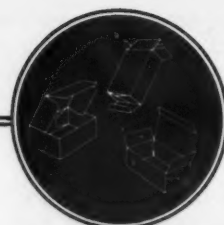
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factory told me that he has increased his output eight-fold in the last twenty years and is now planning another expansion that will double his capacity.

This is only one example. Many similar examples could be given in the glass industry, leather, coal, iron, textiles, machine building, foundries, transportation, electricity, and all other basic industries and services.

Probably the outstanding factor in Turkey today is the genuine love and high regard that the Turk has for the American. This genuine feeling of good will and fellowship exists from the highest education group down to the peasant. Why this feeling exists I really can't say. You might say that it was due to the fact that we have given them a lot of our hard earned dollars in the form of foreign aid. This is not true. Only last June we turned down their request for foreign aid and when we did this they did not threaten to disband their army. The fact is that Turkey has probably received the least of any of our major allies and yet when we, through the United Nations, asked them for soldiers for Korea they sent not only soldiers, but sent their best ones as the record shows. This is in direct contrast to some of our allies who had many excuses but few men with guns. You might say that Turkey needs us in the event of war. In the first place I think that this is a mutual feeling and secondly from looking at a map you can see why we are interested in Turkey from a military point of view.

I think that the reason that we Americans are so well liked in Turkey today is the direct result of our inviting young Turkish students to this country to receive their higher formal education. In the late thirties and also in the forties we had many young Turks both in our universities and after completing their formal education, working in our factories. Today we are reaping the harvest of this far sighted educational program. The young men who were here fifteen years ago are today in their late thirties or early forties and are the current coming group of factory managers and government officials. We have still not felt the maximum impact from this program. I feel that it will probably be another five or ten years before we realize the full benefits. Let us continue to invite foreign students



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to our universities. I feel that this is the most economical way to bring about world understanding along with the introduction of our American ideals and customs.

A New Focus On Executive Training

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the decision to change and the direction of change is up to them.

Paradoxically, many of those who really want to profit find themselves blocked by feelings, fears, and anxieties from experiencing the deeper impact of the training process. These "defenses" keep them from making the kind of progress which they so earnestly desire.

Every one of us utilizes defenses, usually those with which we feel most comfortable. We use different ones at different times, and in various combinations and proportions, some more effectively and appropriately than others. Each person's particular pattern of defenses largely characterizes his personality.

It is rather easy to see some of the more familiar defenses in others, but very difficult to recognize them in ourselves: the "sour grapes" attitude ("we didn't want this contract, anyhow"); the displacement of hostility on an inappropriate person (arguing with one's wife when really feeling angry at the boss); the blaming of equipment for poor personal performance; the flight into fantasy "when I am in charge of this department, things will be different!"). Some of us are great rationalizers; some of us take our troubles out on our subordinates; some of us see no faults in ourselves, but only in others; some of us develop bodily symptoms which have no organic basis. In any event, it is important to realize that we are not always conscious of the true motivation of all of our actions; too often, we are blissfully ignorant of the needs and fears which make us act as we do.

The training process focuses, in part, on the identification of those defenses that interfere with effective personal functioning in the work setting. But while some participants are able to achieve insight into how they act and react, others markedly resist this process and rigidly adhere to their original views of themselves and the world around them.

In the course of our experience, we have learned to identify some expressions which we think reflect typical resistances to this type of training.² Although any or all of these feelings may have some rational basis, the participants commonly fail to examine their validity and prefer to hold to their notions of what they are and how they are seen by others. Among the common phrases through which these feelings of

resistance are expressed are:

1. "You can't change human nature".—This assumes that our personalities are fixed, that we are born to be

² Jack R. Gibb, who conducts leadership training programs at the University of Colorado, has recently described a similar set of expressions which serve his trainees as defenses against real or imagined threats to their self-concepts. See J. R. Gibb and Lorraine M. Gibb, *Applied Group Dynamics: A Laboratory Manual for Group Training in Human Relations Skill*, 1953, 121 pp. (mimeo).

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2. "I know myself better than anyone else ever will!" This person cannot accept the idea that hidden or unconscious drives and motives do exist. His best defenses for dealing with his un-

known self—his proven tactics for avoiding possible exposure—are denial and rationalization.

3. "If there is one thing I know, it's how to deal with people." This person may readily admit lack of knowledge about the technical aspects of his job, but his self-picture does not permit weakness in the human relations department. He may believe strongly in himself and come to the training to be approved "as is." He often claims knowl-

edge of how to handle a situation, and doesn't hesitate to tell someone else what to do. Prevented from getting evidence which might be contradictory to his expressed feelings of adequacy, he avoids testing the reality of whatever fears he has with reference to his abilities to relate to people.

4. "We are here to learn about human relations. You are the expert—so give us the answers." Behind this attitude lies the more customary school experience which utilizes lectures, case materials, tests, and the like. Most people have learned to expect this type of activity whenever they take a course; moreover, experience with books and newspaper columns has taught them to look for specific answers, for rules and gimmicks to solve their human relations problems. Thus, they wish to submit to the trainer's authority, yet at the same time refuse to accept his caution that they will find answers only by participating in a dynamic group process.

5. "Let's stop getting personal—let's be mature and look at the facts." The person who holds this belief does not like to deal with emotions, feelings, and perceptions. He thinks it unnecessary, if not outright dangerous. To him, every situation calls for a rational principle—the problem is to find the principle that applies. Demanding "the facts" in each instance, he refuses to accept emotions, feelings, and perceptions as facts.

6. "What do you expect us to do—psychoanalyze everybody?" This question reflects a major misunderstanding about the training process. At no time is it recommended that the "open thyself" atmosphere of the training process be transferred into day-to-day business operations. On the contrary, it is the unique motive of the training process which permits people to "see more and better" so that they can then react more effectively to the demands of their daily interpersonal contacts.

7. "I think this is great—I'm learning a lot by sitting back and watching all the others." This individual is convinced that there is something to the training process, but does not wish to get involved. By not participating, he avoids exposing himself. Thus he decreases his potential learning experience.

8. "We run a business, not a nursery school." This attitude implies that the training encourages impractical, time-consuming, and unrealistic supervisory practices. The trainee assumes that

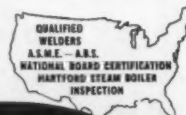


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knowing the technical and administrative features of a job are sufficient; he believes that the way to solve problems in human relations is either to avoid them or to discipline those with whom he has difficulties. He fails to admit the possibility that his poor record in interpersonal relations may have its roots in his own behavior and is likely to cite the ample supply of labor as his main reason for not fooling with "employees who won't do their jobs."

9. "I don't know what you are doing to us, but I don't like it." Behind this expression is a fear that the person's individuality will be lost, that his initiative will disappear, and that his abilities will be attacked and his weaknesses magnified. He thinks that sensitivity training is an attempt at indoctrination over which he has no control. He does not realize that the training process is largely of the group's own making—that what is done is largely a function of what the group wants to do and how it wants to do it. The possibility that individuality is encouraged and enhanced by this type of experience through increasing realistic understanding is not admitted.

Evaluating the Training Results

Sensitivity training must be evaluated in terms of aims, methods and achievements. Ideally, this process should consist of three phases. First, a potential trainee should be appraised by his superiors, peers, subordinates, and himself prior to training. Second, his performance in training should be assessed by the trainers, the group members, and himself. Finally, he should be evaluated again by his superiors, peers, subordinates, and himself, some time after the training is completed.

The criteria of evaluation are likely to vary for each evaluator and for each situation. On the job, the trainee's superiors may stress the productivity of his work-groups, their morale, turnover, and similar factors. His peers may look for cooperation and friendliness. His subordinates may be more interested in understanding, acceptance of their frailties, or involvement in decision-making. He, himself, may be most concerned with his ability to handle day-to-day tasks, to keep production up, to deal with arguments and "hurt" feelings when they occur, and to avoid being "called-down" by his superiors.

In the training situation, the trainers may value greater insights into defenses, more realistic perception of

others, understanding of communication processes, or newly-found awareness of the forces operating in a group. Fellow participants may stress willingness to understand and listen to others, effectiveness in role-playing, recognition of the impact on a discussion or efforts to help the progress of his group to achieve its goals. He, himself, may most wish to develop feelings of confidence and security, to improve his

ability to handle tough situations, to gain skills in interviewing and listening, and to experience relief from some of the tensions and anxieties with which he feels himself saddled.

Self-assessment First Result of Training

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The 28300 Scale of Rates

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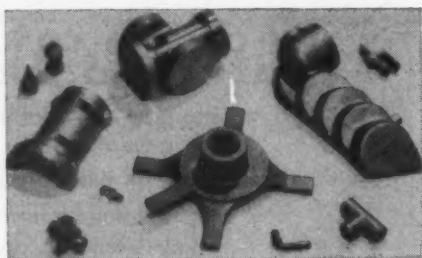
of such losses and if granted a further hearing they will present new evidence to that effect.

Intercoastal Trailerships Contemplated

The American-Hawaiian Steamship Company filed an application with the Maritime Administration for mortgage insurance in connection with the contemplated construction of 10 trailerships. These ships are to operate on a twice weekly basis in intercoastal trade between New York, N. Y., and the west coast ports of Los Angeles, San Francisco, Astoria, Ore., and Seattle, Wash. If the mortgage insurance is approved by the Maritime Administration, the steamship operators estimate that it will take about 18 months to provide the new service.

Each trailership will accommodate 570 truck trailers and the estimated cost per ship is \$11.5 million. The trailerships will be about 732 feet long, 97 feet wide, weigh about 13,170 deadweight tons, and capable of a speed of 18 knots per hour. The cruising radius will be approximately 16,700 miles. The steamship company representatives estimate that over a 20 year period the gross income from operating these ships will be one billion dollars.

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The truckload commodity rates for all articles except iron or steel articles are to be no lower than the rates that are published for competitive rail carriers.

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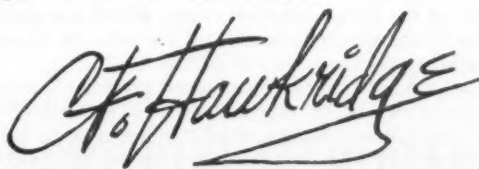
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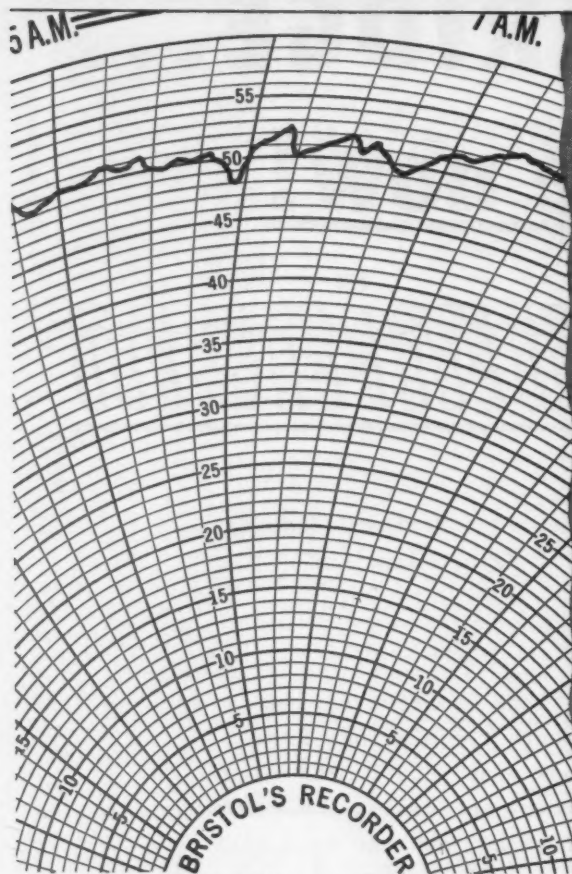
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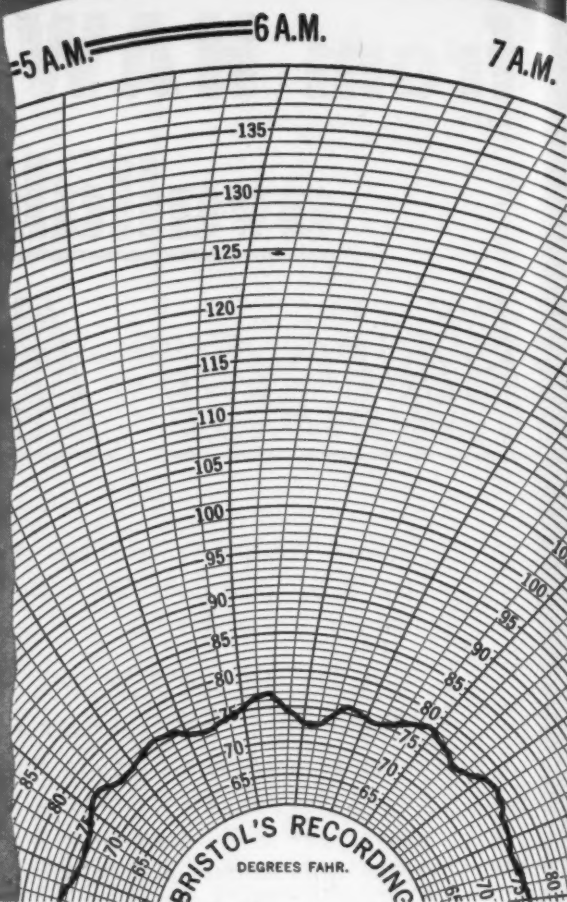
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New York Air Travel Survey

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The Art of Togetherness

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as harmonious an atmosphere. It is more the spirit than the act. It is a Management who respects and appreciates the employees; a top Management who walks through the plant with a genuine smile; a management negotiating team that faces and disseminates facts and not prejudices.

The next great forward step in Management - employee communications will be verbal. Industry spends millions to get their salesmen face to face with the prospect, and yet it carefully avoids using the same effective sales tool in giving employees a chance to buy the program and sincerity of the employer. Employees do not believe Management will look them in the eye and tell a lie. They might believe they would have one written by the Legal or Public Relations Department. Industry is a political organization as well as economic. Employees act on what they believe, not on what management believes. Facts only affect employee behaviour when the employee believes them. Management is

missing the most effective means of communication in failing to talk face to face with their employee groups. The Union doesn't make the same mistake.

If Management is to rise to new heights of industrial leadership, then it must accept the philosophy that Management shares an equal responsibility between employees and stockholders. This leadership must motivate the employees, not publish rules to govern them. "Man is a spirit temporarily using a body for means of self-expression." If he is productive it is

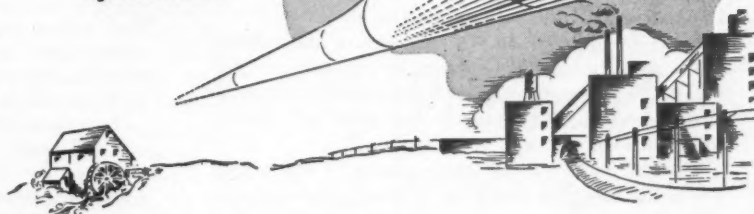
because of a productive spirit. If he is non-productive it is because of an unproductive spirit. Employees strike in their minds before they strike in their bodies.

Industry is controlled by the law of reciprocal action just as any other part of creation. Sow wheat, get wheat. Sow loyalty, cooperation, intelligent leadership in the fertile minds of the employees, and get the same multiplied in kind. Have honest cultivation, the faith and patience to wait for it. This is the art of togetherness.

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The staff of the average weekly newspaper is small. In most cases it is fewer than ten. It usually includes the owner, who may be the publisher, editor, printing foreman and advertising salesman. A good guess is that there is not a millionaire among them, still every weekly represents a worthy amount of capital in its town. Its editors are not anonymous as may appear. In your town he may be the president of the chamber of commerce. He may have held a high elective office. He is probably a member of a service club and may even be the president of your social club.

The small community exists today even though, for a time, people flowed to the city. This was a response to industrial evolution that built big cities. However, the small community remains with its own interests, prides and headaches. The weekly newspaper has its home in such a community.

To remain alive the weekly newspaper knows that its strength lies in getting itself read. It must enjoy what is called "freedom of the press," and it must be self-supporting financially. It must realize its social responsibility to the community, withstand pressures

and behave in the interest of the community.

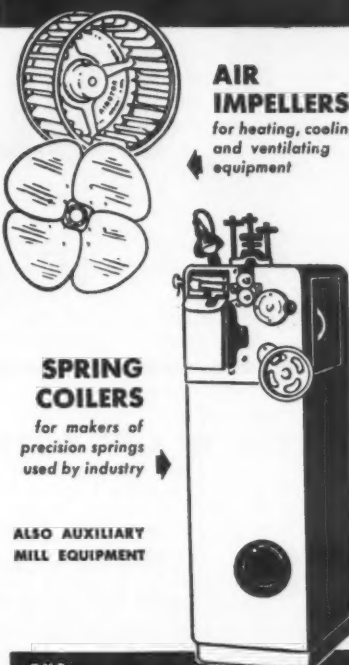
It is interested in politics but not to the extent that it will lose itself in severe controversy. It prefers to remain the communicating medium between the citizen and the government. It is interested in improving health and living standards, protecting natural resources, promoting local industries and enhancing all neighborhood qualities.

Above all, the weekly newspaper is thirsty for news. What is local news may be hard to define. It is and it is not what happens on the other side of the world. If something happens thousands of miles away, it will be news if the event vitally affects the lives in that community. In that case the editor will try to show the relationship to the community. The weekly will not, however, avoid mention of a flood or the illness of the president.

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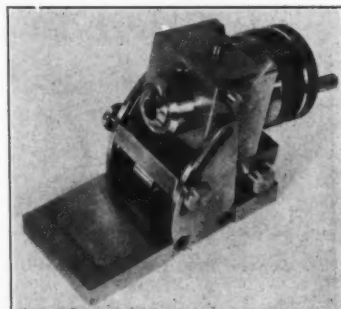
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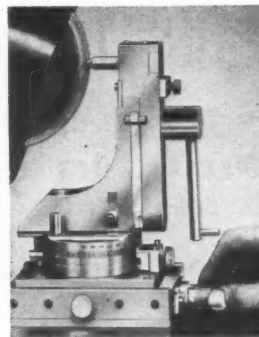
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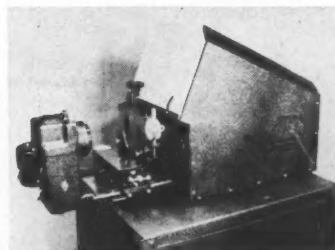
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A comprehensive summary of the ups and downs of industrial activity in Connecticut for the thirty day period ending on the 15th day of the second previous month.

IN August the Connecticut index of general business activity declined to an estimated 12 per cent above normal due principally to the devastating floods which swamped the northeastern section of the Country. The United States index of industrial activity, meanwhile, remained unchanged at an estimated 13 per cent above normal.

Latest available estimates by State officials placed Connecticut flood damage to industrial, residential, utility, business, public and other properties at over \$150,000,000. Some of the effects on the over-all economy of the

State are covered on the following pages.

Industry Hard Hit

Manufacturing, especially in the heavily industrialized Naugatuck Valley, was the hardest hit segment of the State's economy. The following table lists industrial damages in cities which suffered greatest, based on estimates by some 400 affected manufacturing firms to the State Development Commission and the State Labor Department. Losses to all reporting firms totalled over \$70 million.

Estimated Industrial Flood Losses

Waterbury	\$14,260,000
Naugatuck	10,520,000
Ansonia	7,480,000
Torrington	7,100,000
Winsted	4,860,000
Thomaston	3,520,000
Thompson	3,120,000
Derby	2,130,000
Seymour	2,120,000
Putnam	2,000,000

About one third of the Nation's brass mill production, mainly centered in Connecticut, was knocked out temporarily. Less than one month later half this production had been restored. Recovery in other industries is also proceeding at a rapid pace.

Federal funds have been made available for repair or replacement loans to factories, and the Office of Defense Mobilization has ordered that new contracts be given, where possible, to companies in the stricken areas.

Freight Shipments

In August freight shipments declined sharply to 22 per cent below normal. This resulted from both the flood and settlement of the strike in the trucking industry.

The New Haven Railroad reported an estimated \$10 million in flood damages, including heavy losses to the important Naugatuck Valley industrial line.

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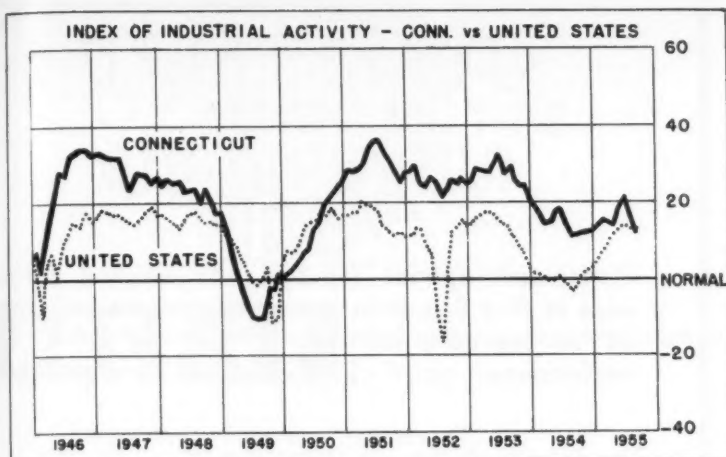
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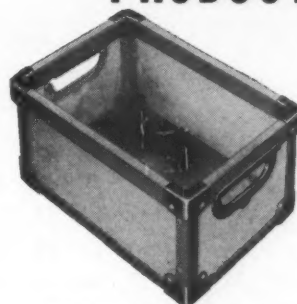
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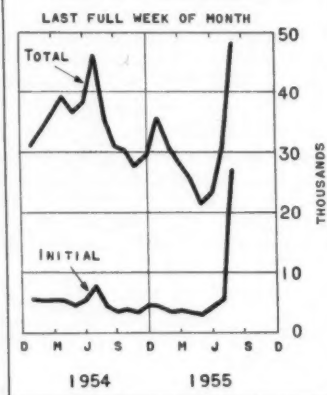


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ing the flood. Initial claims which had been running about 2,500 jumped to 27,500 bringing the total on file up to 49,000. Three weeks after the flood initial claims were back to normal and the total number of claimants had been reduced substantially to 29,000.

The State Department of Labor reports that the Waterbury-Naugatuck area led with 11,000 of the initial claims made by workers whose jobs were affected by the flood. Ansonia followed with 5,000. Torrington, Putnam and Winsted were the other hardest hit areas with 3,400, 1,800 and 1,200, respectively.

Employment

Connecticut non-agricultural employment rose somewhat in August to 861,000. This figure, however, is based on mid-month and therefore does not reflect flood conditions.

More recent estimates show that the

flood temporarily put 70,000 workers out of jobs. About half returned to work by the middle of the first week and 10,000 more during the second week. It is estimated that only 12,000 were idle one month after the flood.

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WHEN it comes to the purchase of capital equipment, and hence of most automation devices, many concerns have relegated the Purchasing Department to a minor, if not a non-contributing, position. Major equipment purchases are often considered to be the exclusive province of some top executive with an engineering background, while the Purchasing Manager buys production materials, general operating supplies, and the minor brick-a-brack that the concern consumes. The argument most often advanced in behalf of this division of buying responsibility is the Purchasing Manager's lack of technical background.

While it is quite probable that a technically qualified executive should make the final decision on the purchase of highly complex automatic devices, the effectiveness and facility of this decision may often be greatly enhanced by his utilization of the Purchasing Manager's knowledge of ven-

dor services, of alternative sources of equipment and installation services, and of the cost and availability of the various materials to be processed or consumed by the new equipment. No other man in the concern can hope to approach the properly functioning Purchasing Manager's broad knowledge of vendor products and services.

Too often, however, major equipment is purchased without taking advantage of the experience of the Purchasing Manager. Three typical cases may be cited of the often disastrous consequences of this kind of policy. (1) A firm equipped an entire department to process a simple part. It was later discovered that the cost of making the part was \$300,000 per year more than the cost at which it could have been purchased (at better tolerances) from a vendor. The equipment executive had never seriously considered the possibility of buying the part instead of making it.

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equipment available for a complex fabrication job at a cost of \$250,000 only to find that preprocessed materials of the desired specifications could not be obtained in the quantities demanded by the new equipment because of the restricted output of vendor plants. Meanwhile the Purchasing Manager, who had not been informed of the na-

ture and extent of the installation, was dealing with representatives of some of these plants daily. (3) Automatic packaging equipment was developed within a large concern at a cost of over \$100,000 while commercial equipment doing the same job was available for \$25,000. Again the equipment executive had not given adequate con-

sideration to purchase possibilities.

In none of these cases did the top level engineer executive, who made the decision to invest, consult the Purchasing Manager. If the latter had been contacted at the proper moment, he could have prevented the loss by a few quick telephone calls. But these top executives were used to thinking of their Purchasing Managers as clerks. In so thinking, they were depriving themselves of a valuable source of information on the complex equipment purchase problem.

In a well balanced organization, what part should the Purchasing Department play in the major equipment decision?

Purchasing's Contribution

(1) Ordinarily the Purchasing Manager (or a delegated buyer) should interview all equipment salesmen before they see other company personnel. Major equipment is of such importance that the interviewing of these salesmen should be the function of the Purchasing Manager in all but the largest companies. The Purchasing Department would then be in a position to minimize the inroads made on the time of the executive staff by sales interviews. It could "screen out" salesmen whose products have current utility. (2) In order to do an adequate job of screening, the Purchasing Manager should be expected to keep himself familiar with the production operation by occasional plant tours and by actively seeking information on management's plans. (3) If the major equipment executive is not impressed by a device which the Purchasing Manager feels to be desirable, the Purchasing Manager should not let the matter rest. He should follow up the salesman's interview and do his best to "sell" management on equipment which he believes will be beneficial to the company. By making positive, properly supported, recommendations to management, he will make maximum use of his talents in this important matter of "pooled judgment" and his status in the major equipment decision will be enhanced. (4) Whenever a major equipment requisition is received, the Purchasing Manager should make a routine investigation to insure that all Purchasing facets are covered. He should always ascertain whether all available equipment of the desired type has been considered before the final decision on brand and vendor is made. He should be certain

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that all materials to be consumed by the new device are available at or near the prices estimated by management and that vendors can meet the expected specifications. As a routine matter he can often make a useful comparison of the total cost of making a part or assembly versus that of buying it from a vendor. (5) The Purchasing Manager should join in new equipment discussions at as early a stage as possible. In all cases he should attempt to balance specifications and cost to achieve highest value.

Management Cooperation

The effectiveness of the Purchasing Manager's performance of the above duties will, of course, be dependent primarily upon his own personality and the cooperation he obtains from management. The following statements present a few of the many ways in which management may help itself to realize the full contribution of Purchasing in the major equipment decision. (1) Management should encourage the Purchasing Manager to be more than just a buyer, to make recommendations, and to provide a liaison function between the company and the progressive concerns developing or selling new equipment. (2) The Purchasing Manager should be invited into all preliminary discussions about new equipment. (3) Once the general investigation of equipment begins, Management can specifically request recommendations on vendors and "value analysis" reports from Purchasing on generally available equipment. (4) Management can endorse a policy of "pre-screening" of all ven-

dors by Purchasing. In this fashion the Purchasing Manager can (a) prevent back door selling of lower echelon personnel, (b) have maximum knowledge of the current equipment interests of the company, and (c) actively inquire about equipment to solve current problems.

Conclusion

In the forthcoming period of heightened competition brought about

by automatic devices the major equipment decision may well emerge as the most crucial realm of the management prerogative. In these trying times an understanding of the potential services which may be available from the Purchasing Department and a correct utilization of these services by management may often mean the difference between the success and failure of a sizable equipment investment, if not between the life and death of the concern.



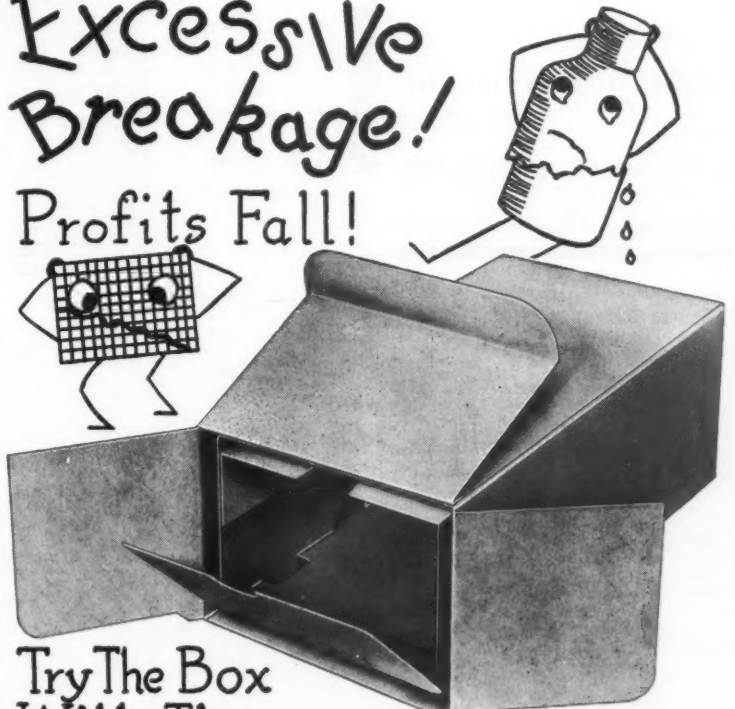
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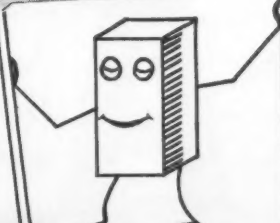
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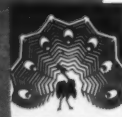
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Box Board Lydall & Foulds Paper Co The Robertson Paper Box Co Gair Company Inc Robert New Haven Board and Carton Co The Manchester Montville Montville New Haven	Bricks-Fire Howard Company Mullite Refractories Co The New Haven Shelton	Canvas Products F B Skiff Inc Hartford
Boxes Clairglow Mfg Company (metal) Connecticut Container Corporation Gair Company Inc Robert (corrugated and solid fibre shipping containers) Merriam Mfg Co (steel cash, bond, security, fitted tool and tackle boxes) Warner Bros Co The (Acetate, Paper, Acetate and Paper Combinations, Counter Display, Setup) Portland New Haven Portland Durham Bridgeport	Bright Wire Goods Sargent & Company (Screw Eyes, Screw Hooks, Cup Hooks, Hooks and Eyes, C H Hooks) New Haven	Capacitors Electro Motive Mfg Co Inc The (mica & trimmer) Willimantic
Boxes and Crates City Lumber Co of Bridgeport Inc The Wallingford Planning Mill Co Inc Durham	Broaching Hartford Special Machinery Co The Hartford	Carbide Tools Precision Tool & Die Co Waterbury
Boxes-Metal Merriam Mfg Co (Bond and Security, Cash and Utility, Personal Files and Drawer Safes) Durham	Bronze & Aluminum Castings Charles Parker Co Knapp Foundry Company Inc (rough or machined) Meriden Guilford	Card Clothing Standard Card Clothing Co The (for textile mills) Stafford Springs
Boxes-Paper-Folding Atlantic Carton Corp Bridgeport Paper Box Co Curtis & Sons Inc S Folding Cartons Incorporated (paper, folding) Gair Company Inc Robert H J Mills Inc Norwich Bridgeport Sandy Hook Versailles Montville Bristol	Brooms-Brushes Fuller Brush Co The Hartford	Carpenter's Tools Sargent & Company (Planes, Squares, Plumb Bobs, Bench Screws, Clamps and Saw Vices) New Haven
Boxes-Paper-Folding National Folding Box Co Inc New Haven Board and Carton Co The Robertson Paper Box Co Warner Bros Co The New Haven New Haven Montville Bridgeport	Buckles B Schwanda & Sons G E Prentice Mfg Co The Hawie Mfg Co The North & Judd Manufacturing Co Patent Button Co The Risdon Manufacturing Co John M Russell Div United States Rubber Company Ware Division Staffordville Kensington Bridgeport New Britain Waterbury Naugatuck Shoe Hardware Waterbury	Carpet B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division Shelton
Boxes-Paper-Setup Box Shop Inc The Bridgeport Paper Box Co Heminway Corporation The H J Mills Inc Strouse Adler Company The Warner Bros Co The New Haven Bridgeport New Haven Bridgeport	Buffing & Polishing Compositions Apothecaries Hall Co Lea Mfg Co Waterbury Waterbury	Carpet Cushion B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division Shelton
Brake Cables Eis Manufacturing Co Middletown	Burners Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (kerosene oil lighting) Thomaston	Carpets and Rugs Bigelow-Sanford Carpet Co Thompsonville
Brake Linings Raybestos Division of Raybestos-Manhattan Inc (Automotive and Industrial) Russell Mfg Co The Bridgeport Middletown	Burners-Automatic Peabody Engineering Corporation Stamford	Casters Bassick Company The (Industrial and General) Bridgeport
Brake Service Parts Eis Manufacturing Co Middletown	Burners-Coal and Oil Peabody Engineering Corporation (Combined) Stamford	Casters-Industrial George P Clark Co Windsor Locks
Braid-Elastic & Non-elastic Essex Mills Inc Essex	Burners-Gas Peabody Engineering Corporation (Blast Furnace) Stamford	Castings Connecticut Foundry Co (grey iron) Rocky Hill
Brass & Bronze American Brass Co The (sheet, wire, rods, tubes) Bridgeport Brass Company (sheet, rod, wire and tubing) Bristol Brass Corp The (sheet, wire, rods) Chase Brass & Copper Co Miller Company The (phosphor bronze and brass in sheets, strips, rolls) Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (sheet, wire, rod) Scovill Manufacturing Company Seymour Mfg Co The (strip, sheet & wire) Seymour Waterbury Thomaston Waterbury 91 Mathieson New Haven	Burners-Gas and Oil Peabody Engineering Corporation (Combined) Stamford	Castings Connecticut Foundry Co (grey iron) Rocky Hill Connecticut Malleable Castings Co (malleable iron castings) Consolidated Industries Inc Charles Parker Company The (brass, bronze, aluminum) Ductile Iron Foundry Inc Eastern Malleable Iron Company The (malleable iron, metal and alloy) Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc (Meehanite, Nodular, Iron, Steel) Hartford Electric Steel Corp The (stainless steel) Plainville Casting Company (gray, alloy and high tensile irons) Malleable Iron Fittings Co (malleable iron and steel) McLagon Foundry Co (grey iron) Newton-New Haven Co (zinc and aluminum) 688 Third Ave West Philbrick-Booth & Spencer Inc (grey iron) Producto Machine Company The Scovill Manufacturing Company (Brass & Bronze) Stamford Casting Company Inc (Aluminum, Magnesium and Bronze) Turner & Seymour Mfg Co The (gray iron, semi steel and alloy) Union Mfg Co (grey iron & semi steel) Hartford Waterbury 91 Stamford Stamford Torrington New Britain Waterbury Middletown
Brass & Bronze Ingot Metal Mitchell Smelting & Refining Co Inc Botsford	Burners-Refinery Peabody Engineering Corporation (For Gas and Oil) Stamford	Castings-Investment Arwood Precision Casting Corp Groton
Brass, Bronze, Aluminum Castings Charles Parker Company The Stamford Casting Company Inc Victors Brass Foundry Inc Guilford	Burnishing Abbott Ball Co The (Burnishing Barrells and Burnishing Media) Hartford	Cements-Refractory Mullite Refractory Co The Shelton
Brass Goods American Brass Company The Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (to order) Waterbury	Burns Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co West Hartford	Chain Risdon Manufacturing Co John M Russell Div Turner and Seymour Mfg Co The (weldless, sash, jack, safety, furnace, universal, lion and cable) Torrington
Brass, Bronze, Aluminum Castings Charles Parker Company The Stamford Casting Company Inc Victors Brass Foundry Inc Guilford	Busways Distribution Assemblies Department, General Electric Co Plainville	Chain-Bead Auto-Swage Products Inc Bead Chain Mfg Co The Shelton Bridgeport
Brass Goods American Brass Company The Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (to order) Waterbury	Buttons B Schwanda & Sons Frank Parizek Manufacturing Co The Patent Button Co The Scovill Manufacturing Company (Uniform and Tack Fasteners) Waterbury Companies Inc (Uniform and Fancy Dress) Staffordville Putnam Waterbury Waterbury 91 Waterbury	Chairs The Hitchcock Chair Company Riverton
Brass Goods Rostand Mfg Co The (Ecclesiastical Brass Wares) Milford	Cabinets Charles Parker Co The (medicine) Meriden	Chemical Manufacturing Carwin Company The North Haven (Adv.)
Brass Goods Rostand Mfg Co The (Ecclesiastical Brass Wares) Milford	Cabinet Work Hartford Builders Finish Co Hartford	
Brass Goods Rostand Mfg Co The (Ecclesiastical Brass Wares) Milford	Cable-Asbestos Insulated Rockbestos Products Corp New Haven	
Brass Goods Rostand Mfg Co The (Ecclesiastical Brass Wares) Milford	Cable-BX Armored General Electric Company Bridgeport	
Brass Goods Rostand Mfg Co The (Ecclesiastical Brass Wares) Milford	Cable-Nonmetallic Sheathed General Electric Company Bridgeport	
Brass Goods Rostand Mfg Co The (Ecclesiastical Brass Wares) Milford	Cable-Service Entrance General Electric Company Bridgeport	
Brass Goods Rostand Mfg Co The (Ecclesiastical Brass Wares) Milford		

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Chemicals		
American Cyanamid Company	Waterbury	
Apothecaries Hall Co	Waterbury	
Carwin Company The	North Haven	
Du-Lite Chemical Corp The	Middletown	
Macalaster Bicknell Company	New Haven	
MacDermid Incorporated	Waterbury	
Naugatuck Chemical Division	United States	
Rubber Co	Naugatuck	
New England Lime Company	Canaan	
Pfizer & Co Inc Chas	Groton	
Chemicals—Agriculture		
Naugatuck Chemical Division	United States	
Rubber Co (insecticides, fungicides, weed killers)	Naugatuck	
Christmas Light Clips		Bristol
Chromium Plating		
Chromium Corp of America	Waterbury	
Chromium Process Company The	Shelton	
City Plating Works Inc	Bridgeport	
Chucks		
Cushman Chuck Co The	Hartford	
Horton Chuck Div The E Horton & Son Company	Windsor Locks	
Jacobs Manufacturing Co The	West Hartford	
Union Manufacturing Company	New Britain	
Chucks—Drill		
Jacobs Manufacturing Co The	West Hartford	
Chucks & Face Plate Jaws		
Cushman Chuck Co The	Hartford	
Union Mfg Co	New Britain	
Horton Chuck Div The E Horton & Son Company	Windsor Locks	
Chucks—Power Operated		
Cushman Chuck Co The	Hartford	
Union Manufacturing Company	New Britain	
Circuit Breakers		
Trumbull Components Department,	General	
Electric Co	Plainville	
Circulating Pumps		
Conley Co Inc The	Plainville	
Clay		
Howard Company (Fire Howard "B" and High Temperature Dry)	New Haven	
Cleaning Compounds		
Enthone Inc (Industrial)	New Haven	
Cleansing Compounds		
MacDermid Incorporated	Waterbury	
Clock Mechanisms		
Lux Clock Mfg Co The	Waterbury	
Clocks		
E Ingraham Co The	Bristol	
Seth Thomas Clocks	Thomaston	
United States Time Corporation The	Waterbury	
Clocks—Alarm		
Lux Clock Mfg Co The	Waterbury	
Clocks—Automatic Cooking		
Lux Clock Mfg Co The	Waterbury	
Clutches		
Snow-Nabstedt Gear Corp The	New Haven	
Clutch Facings		
Raybestos Division of Raybestos-Manhattan Inc (Molded, Woven, Semi-metallic and Full-metallic)	Bridgeport	
Russell Mfg Co The	Middletown	
Cold Winding Machines		
Boesch Mfg Co Inc	Danbury	
Coils		
Dano Electric Company	Winsted	
Coils—Electric		
Bittermann Electric Company	Canaan	
Coils—Pipe or Tube		
National Pipe Bending Co The	160 River St New Haven	
Whitlock Manufacturing Co The	Hartford	
Cold Molded Electrical Insulation		
Meriden Molded Plastics	Meriden	
Commercial Heat Treating		
A F Holden Company The	52 Richard St West Haven	
Commercial Truck Bodies		
Metropolitan Body Company	Bridgeport	
Comparators		
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Electro-limit and Air-O-Limit)	West Hartford	
Compressors		
Norwalk Company Inc (high pressure air and gas)	South Norwalk	
Computers		
Newton Co The (electronic)	Manchester	
Reflectone Corporation The	Stamford	
Concrete Products		
Plastricrete Corp	Hamden	
Cones		
Sonoco Products Co (Climax-Lowell Div)	Mystic	
Condenser and Heat Exchanger Tubes		
Bridgeport Brass Company	Bridgeport	
Consulting Engineers		
McNeal J D (Electrical and Electronic)	New Haven	
Stanley P Rockwell Co Inc The (Consulting)	Hartford	
296 Homestead Ave	Hartford	
Continuous Mill Gages		
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford	
Contract Machining		
Laurel Mfg Co Inc (Precision Production Small Parts)	Plainville	
Malleable Iron Fittings Company	Branford	
Charles Parker Co	Meriden	
Contract Manufacturers		
Fenn Mfg Co The (Precision Machine Work)	Newington	
Greist Mfg Co The (metal parts and assemblies)	New Haven	
503 Blake St	New Haven	
Merriam Mfg Co (production runs—metal boxes and containers to specifications)	Durham	
Charles Parker Co (sheet metal fabricators)	Meriden	
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (metal parts & assemblies)	Thomaston	
Scovill Manufacturing Company (metal parts and assemblies)	Waterbury 91	
J H Sessions & Son	Bristol	
Controllers		
Bristol Company The	Waterbury	
Manning Maxwell & Moore Inc	Stratford	
Controls—Remote		
Panish Controls (Remote Controls for Marine & Aeronautic Applications)	Bridgeport	
Converters DC to AC		
Electric Specialty Co	Stamford	
Conveyor Systems		
Leeds Conveyor Mfg Co The	East Haven	
Production Equipment Co	Meriden	
Copper		
American Brass Corp The (sheet, wire, rods, tubes)	Waterbury	
Bridgeport Brass Company (sheet, rod, wire and tubing)	Bridgeport	
Bristol Brass Corp The (steel)	Bristol	
Chase Brass & Copper Co (sheet, rod, wire tube)	Waterbury	
Thinsheet Metals Co The (sheets and rolls)	Waterbury	
Western Brass Mills Div Olin	Mathieson	
Chemical Corp	New Haven	
Copper Castings		
Knapp Foundry Company Inc	Guilford	
Copper Sheets		
American Brass Company The	Waterbury	
New Haven Copper Co The	Seymour	
Copper Shingles		
New Haven Copper Co The	Seymour	
Copperware		
Bridgeport Brass Company (cooking utensils)	Bridgeport	
Copper Water Tube		
American Brass Company The	Waterbury	
Bridgeport Brass Co	Bridgeport	
Cords—Asbestos		
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	
Cords—Braided		
Essex Mills Inc	Essex	
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	
Cords—Heater		
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	
Cords—Portable		
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	
Cord Sets—Electric		
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	
Seeger-Williams Inc	Bridgeport	
Cork Cots		
Sonoco Products Co (Climax-Lowell Div)	Mystic	
Corrugated Box Manufacturers		
Connecticut Container Corporation	New Haven	
Corrugated Containers Inc	Hartford	
Corrugated Shipping Cases		
Connecticut Container Corporation	New Haven	
Connecticut Corrugated Box Div Robert Gair Co Inc	Portland	
D L & D Container Corp 87 Shelton Ave	New Haven	
Cosmetic Containers		
Evelet Specialty Co The	Waterbury	
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (metal)	Thomaston	
Cosmetics		
J B Williams Co The	Glastonbury	
Cotton and Asbestos Wicking		
Bland Burner Co The	Hartford	
Cotton Yarn		
Floyd Cranska Co The	Moosup	
Counting Devices		
Veeder-Root Inc	Hartford	
Couplings—Self-Sealing		
Sperry Products Inc	Danbury	
Cranes and Conveyors		
I-B Engineering Sales Co	New Haven	
Crushers		
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc (Stone and Ore)	Ansonia	
Cups—Paper		
American Paper Goods Company The ("Puritani")	Kensington	
Cushioning for Packaging		
B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division	Shelton	
Gilman Brothers Co The	Gilman	
Cut Stone		
Dextone Co The	New Haven	
Cutters		
Barnes Tool Company The (pipe cutters, hand)	New Haven	
Mitrametric Co The (ground pinion)	Torrington	
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Milling Cutters all types)	West Hartford	
Cutting & Creasing Rule		
Bartholomew Co H I	Bristol	
Cyl. Gauges & Tools		
J & S Machine Co Inc	Hartford	
Decorative Plating and Polishing		
City Plating Works Inc	Bridgeport	
Deep Hole Drilling & Reaming		
Hamden Deep Hole Drilling Co	Hamden	
Wilson Arms Co The	Hamden	
Deep Drawings		
Stanley Pressed Metal	New Britain	
Delayed Action Mechanism		
M H Rhodes Inc	Hartford	
Demineralizers		
Crystal Research Laboratories	Hartford	
Development Work		
Saybrook Manufacturing Inc	Old Saybrook	
Diamonds—Industrial		
Diamond Tool and Die Works	Hartford	
Dictating Machines		
Dictaphone Corporation	Bridgeport	
Gray Manufacturing Company The	Hartford	
Soundscribe Corporation The	New Haven	
Die Cast Dies		
C & F Tool & Die Corp	Bridgeport	
Die Castings		
Mt Vernon Die Casting Co	Stamford	
Newton-New Haven Co Inc	New Haven	
Die Casting Dies		
ABA Tool & Die Co	Manchester	
Parker Stamp Works Co The	Hartford	
Weimann Bros Mfg Co The	Derby	
Eastern Machine Screw Corp The	Truman & Barclay Sts	
Die Heads—Self Opening		
Eastern Machine Screw Corp The	New Haven	
Geometric Tool Division, Greenfield Tap & Die Corp.	New Haven	
Die Polishing Machinery		
Hartford Special Machinery Co The	Hartford	
Die Sets		
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Precision)	West Hartford	
Products Machine Company The	Bridgeport	
Union Mfg Co (precision, steel and semi-steel)	New Britain	
Dies		
Hoggson & Pettis Mfg Co The 141 Brewery St	New Haven	
Mitrametric Co The (ground for gears)	Torrington	
Parker Stamp Works Inc The (plastics and die castings)	Hartford	
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Monocone and Ducone Dies)	West Hartford	
Precision Engineering Co Inc (forging, trimming & blanking)	Southington	
Die Sinks		
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford	
Dies & Die Cutting		
Douglas Co Geo M	New Haven	
Dies and Die Sinking		
Consolidated Industries	West Cheshire	
Dish Drying Machines		
Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford	
Dish Washing Machines		
Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford	
Display Containers		
National Folding Box Co Inc (folding paper-board)	New Haven and Versailles (Adv't.)	

Displays—Metal		Electric Time Controls		Envelopes—Stock and Special	
Durham Mfg Co The (Designing & Mfg to customers' specifications)	Durham	R W Cramer Company Inc The	Centerbrook	American Paper Goods Company The	Kensington
Merriam Mfg Co (Contract Work to Individual Specifications)	Durham	Electric Timers		Extractors—Tap	
Parsons Co Inc W A (custom designed)	Durham	Sessions Clock Co The	Forestville	Walton Company The	West Hartford
Distribution Centers		Electric Timing Motors		Eyelets	
Distribution Assemblies Department, General Electric Co	Plainville	Sessions Clock Co The (small)	Forestville	American Brass Company The	Waterbury
Door Closers		Electric Wire		Platt Bros & Co The P O Box 1030	Waterbury
Sargent & Company	New Haven	General Electric Company	Bridgeport	Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston
Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford	Rockbestos Products Corp (asbestos insulated)	New Haven	Scovill Manufacturing Company	Waterbury 91
Doors		Electric Wiring Devices		Stevens Co Inc	Waterbury
Bilco Co The (metal, residential and commercial)	West Haven	Arrow-Hart & Hegeman Electric Co The	Hartford	Eylets, Ferrules and Wiring Terminals	
Dowel Pins		General Electric Company	Bridgeport	American Brass Company The	Waterbury
Allen Manufacturing Co The	Hartford	Electric Woven Heating Elements		Eyelet Machine Products	
Holo-Krome Screw Corp The	West Hartford	Pre-Fab Heating Co Inc	Guilford	American Brass Company The	Waterbury
Drafting Accessories		Electrical Conduit Fittings & Grounding Specialties		Ball & Socket Mfg Co The	West Cheshire
Joseph Merritt & Co	Hartford	Gillette-Vibber Company The	New London	Cold Forming Mfg Co The	Waterbury
Draft Inductors		Electrical Connectors		Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston
Conley Co Inc The	Plainville	Burndy Engineering Co Inc	Norwalk	Eyelet Machine Products	
Drill Presses		Electrical Control Apparatus		Stevens Co Inc	Waterbury
Townsend Mfg Co The H P	Elmwood	Plainville Electrical Products Co The	Plainville	Fancy Dress Buttons and Buckles	
Drilling Machines		Electrical Goods		Waterbury Companies Inc	Waterbury
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Deep Hole)	West Hartford	A C Gilbert Co	New Haven	Fans—Electric	
Drilling and Tapping Machinery		Electrical Motors		General Electric Company	Bridgeport
Hartford Special Machinery Co The	Hartford	Electric Specialty Co	Stamford	Fasteners—Slide & Snap	
Drop Forgings		U S Electrical Motors Inc	Milford	G E Prentice Mfg Co The	Kensington
Atwater Mfg Co	Plantsville	Electrical Outlet and Switch Boxes, and Covers		Scovill Manufacturing Company (snap and slide fasteners)	Waterbury 91
Billings & Spencer Co The	Hartford	General Electric Company	Bridgeport	Felt	
Consolidated Industries	West Cheshire	Electrical Recorders		Auburn Manufacturing Company The (mechanical, cut parts)	Middletown
Wilcox-Crittenden Div North & Judd Mfg Co	Middletown	Bristol Co The	Waterbury	Drycor Felt Company (paper makers and industrial)	Staffordville
Druggists' Rubber Sundries		Electrical Relays and Controls		Felt—All Purpose	
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven	Allied Control Co	Plantsville	American Felt Co (Mill & Cutting Plant)	Glenville
Duplicating Machines—Automatic		Electrical Switchboards		Chas W House & Sons Inc (Mills & Cutting Plant)	Unionville
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford	Plainville Electrical Products Co The	Plainville	Fenders—Boat	
Duplicator Tables		Electrical Test Equipment		B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division	Shelton
Regent Machine Co	Bridgeport	McNeal J D	New Haven	Fiber-glass Fabrication	
Essex Mills Inc	Essex	Electrical Wiring Systems		Davis Co The E J	New Haven
Electric Cables		Wiremold Co The	Hartford	Fibre Board	
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	Electronic Parts		Case Brothers Inc	Manchester
Rockbestos Products Corp (asbestos insulated)	New Haven	Terrville Manufacturing Co (Stampings to customer specifications)	Terryville	C H Norton Co The	North Westchester
Electric Clocks		Electronics		Stevens Paper Mills Inc The	Windsor
Sessions Clock Co The (alarm, kitchen, occasional and office)	Forestville	Gray Manufacturing Company The	Hartford	Finger Nail Clippers	
Electric—Commutators & Segments		McNeal J D	New Haven	H C Cook Co The	32 Beaver St Ansonia
Cameron Elec Mfg Co The (rewinding motors)	Ansonia	Newton Co The	Manchester	File Cards	
Electric Cord Springs		Ripley Co	Middletown	Standard Card Clothing Co The	Stafford Springs
Bristol Spring Manufacturing Co	Plainville	Sturupp Larrabee & Warmers Inc	Middletown	Films	
Electric Cords		Electroplating		Cine-Video Productions Inc	Milford
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	National Sherardizing & Machine Co	Hartford	Firearms	
Rockbestos Products Corp (asbestos insulated)	New Haven	Waterbury Plating Company	Waterbury	Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford
Electric Eye Control		Electroplating—Equipment & Supplies		Marlin Firearms Co The	New Haven
Ripley Company Inc	Middletown	Enthone Inc	New Haven	O F Mosberg & Sons Inc	New Haven
Electric Fixture Wire		Lea Manufacturing Co The	Waterbury	Remington Arms Company Inc	Bridgeport
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	MacDermid Incorporated	Waterbury	Arms and Ammunition Div Olin	New Haven
Rockbestos Products Corp (asbestos insulated)	New Haven	Electroplating Processes & Supplies		Chemical Corp	New Haven
Electric Hand Irons		Enthone Inc	New Haven	Fire Hose	
Winsted Hardware Mfg Co (trade mark "Durabilt")	Winsted	United Chromium Incorporated	Waterbury	Fabrics Fire Hose (municipal and industrial)	Sandy Hook
Electric Heating Elements		Electrotypes		Fireplace Goods	
Hartford Element Co	Hartford	Barnum-Hayward Electrotpe Co Inc	New Haven	American Windshield & Specialty Co The	Milford
Electric Insulation		Lockwood Sons Inc Wm H	Hartford	881 Boston Post Road	32 Beaver St Ansonia
Case Brothers Inc	Manchester	New Haven Electrotpe Div	Electrographic	John P Smith Co The (screens)	423-33 Chapel St
Stevens Paper Mills Inc The	Windsor	Corp	New Haven	Fireproof Floor Joists	
Electric Lighting Fixtures		Elevators		Dextone Co The	New Haven
Fan-Craft Mfg Co (residential, church, post lanterns)	Plainville	Eastern Machinery Co The (passenger and freight)	New Haven	Fireworks	
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston	General Elevator Service Co	Hartford	M Backes' Sons Inc	Wallingford
Wasley Products Inc	Plainville	Enameling		Fishing Lures	
Electric Motor Controls		Conn Metal Finishing Co	Hamden	Dresser Products Inc	Canaan
Arrow-Hart & Hegeman Electric Co The	Hartford	Waterbury Plating Company	Waterbury	Fishing Tackle	
Electrical Outlet and Switch Boxes, and Covers		Enameling and Finishing		H C Cook Co The 32 Beaver St	Ansonia
General Electric Company	Bridgeport	Claiglow Mfg Co	Portland	Flashlights	
Electric Signs		End Milling Cutters		Bridgeport Metal Goods Mfg Co	Bridgeport
Berger Sign Co	Hartford	Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford	Electrical Div Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp	New Haven
United Advertising Corp	New Haven	Engines		Flat Springs	
Electric Switches		Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Div United Aircraft Corp (aircraft)	East Hartford	Bristol Spring Manufacturing Co	Plainville
Arrow-Hart & Hegeman Electric Co The	Hartford	Wolverine Motor Works Inc (diesel stationary marine)	Bridgeport	Gemco Manufacturing Co Inc	Southington
General Electric Company		Envelopes		Flexible Shaft Machines	
		Curtis 1000 Inc	Hartford	Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford (Adv.)
		United States Envelope Company	Hartford		
		Hartford Division	Hartford		

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Floor & Ceiling Plates Beaton & Cadwell Mfg Co The New Britain	Golf Equipment Horton Mfg Co The (clubs, shafts, balls, bags) Bristol	Heat Treating Fixtures Rolock Inc (Trays, Baskets, etc.) Fairfield Wiretex Mfg Co Inc Bridgeport
Fluorescent Lighting Equipment Fullerton Manufacturing Corp Norwalk Vanderman Manufacturing Co The Willimantic Wiremold Company The Hartford	Greeting Cards A D Steinbach & Sons Inc New Haven	Heat Treating Salts and Compounds A F Holden Company The 52 Richard Street West Haven Mitchell-Bradford Chemical Co Bridgeport
Foam Rubber B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division Shelton	Grinding Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc (Roll and Cylindrical) Ansonia Hartford Special Machinery Co The (gears, threads cams and splines) Hartford Horberg Grinding Industries Inc (Precision custom grinding; centerless, cylindrical, surfaces, internal and special) 19 Staples St Bridgeport	Heating and Cooling Coils G & O Manufacturing Co New Haven
Forgings Billings & Spencer Company Hartford Capwell Manufacturing Company Hartford Cawthra Bros Forge Co Shelton Clark Brothers Bolt Co Milldale Consolidated Industries Inc West Cheshire Heppenstall Co (all kinds and shapes) Bridgeport	Grinding Heads—Internal Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Pneumatic, High Speed) West Hartford	Heavy Chemicals Naugatuck Chemical Division United States Rubber Co (sulphuric, nitric and muriatic acids and aniline oil) Naugatuck
Foundries Connecticut Malleable Castings Co (malleable iron castings) New Haven Ductile Iron Foundry Inc Stratford Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc (Iron and Steel) Ansonia Fritzell Foundry & Casting Co The New Haven	Grinding Machines Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc (Roll) Ansonia Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Surface, Die, Gear and Cutter Grinders) West Hartford Rowbottom Machine Company Inc (cam) Waterbury	Hex-Socket Screws Bristol Company The Waterbury Holo-Krome Screw Corp The West Hartford
Foundry Riddles John P Smith Co The 423-33 Chapel St New Haven	Grommets American Brass Company The Waterbury Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The Thomaston	High Frequency Alternators Electric Specialty Co Stamford
Fuel Oil Pump and Heater Sets Peabody Engineering Corporation Stamford	Ground Rubber Rolls Saybrook Manufacturing Inc Old Saybrook	Highway Guard Rail Hardware Malleable Iron Fittings Co Branford
Furnace Linings Mullite Refractories Co The (refractories, super refractories) Shelton	Guards for Machinery Wheeler Co The G E New Haven	Hinges Homer D Bronson Company Beacon Falls
Fuses—Plug and Cartridge General Electric Company Bridgeport	Hack and Band Saw Blades Capwell Manufacturing Co The Hartford	Hobs and Hobbings ABA Tool & Die Co Manchester Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Die and Thread Milling) West Hartford
Gage Blocks Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Alloy steel and Carbide, Hoke and USA) West Hartford	Hammers—Carpenters and Machinists Capwell Manufacturing Company Hartford	Hoists J-B Engineering Sales Co New Haven
Gages Farmington Engineering Co The Bloomfield	Hand Tools Billings & Spencer Company (wrenches, sockets and shop tools) Hartford Bridgeport Hdwe Mfg Corp The (nail pullers, scout axes, box opening tools, trowels, coping saws, putty knives) Bridgeport	Hoists and Trolleys Union Mfg Company New Britain
Galvanizing Malleable Iron Fittings Co Branford Wilcox-Crittenden Div North & Judd Mfg Co Middletown	Hard Crome City Plating Works Inc Bridgeport	Hose Fittings Don Mfg Co J M Naugatuck
Gaskets Auburn Manufacturing Company The (from all materials) Middletown Raybestos Division of Raybestos-Manhattan Inc Bridgeport Tsingris Die Cutting Corp (from all materials) Waterbury	Hardness Testers Wilson Mechanical Instrument Div American Chain & Cable Company Inc Bridgeport	Hose—Flexible Metallic American Brass Co Waterbury American Metal Hose Branch Waterbury
Gas Range Conversion Burner Holyoke Heater Corp of Conn Inc Hartford	Hardware Rassick Company The (Automotive) Bridgeport Harloc Products Corp New Haven Sargent & Company New Haven Wilcox-Crittenden Div North & Judd Mfg Co (marine heavy, and industrial) Middletown Yale & Towne Mfg Co The Stamford	Hose Supporter Trimmings Hawie Mfg Co The (So-Lo Grip Tabs) Bridgeport
Gas Scrubbers, Coolers and Absorbers Peabody Engineering Corporation Stamford	Hardware—Marine & Bus Rostand Mfg Co The Milford	Hospital Signal Systems Conn Telephone & Electric Corp Subsidiary of Great American Industries Inc Meriden
Gauges Bristol Co The (pressure and vacuum—recording automatic control) Waterbury Helicoid Gage Division American Chain & Cable Co The (pressure and vacuum) Bridgeport	Hardware—Trailer Cabinet Excelsior Hardware Co The Stamford	Hydraulic Brake Fluids Eis Manufacturing Co Middletown
Gears Mitrametric Co The (blanked fine pitch) Torrington	Hardware, Trunk & Luggage Corbin Cabinet Lock Div American Hardware Corp New Britain I H Sessions & Son Bristol Yale & Towne Mfg Co The Stamford	Hydraulic Controls Sperry Products Inc Danbury
Gears and Gear Cutting Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc Ansonia Fenn Mfg Co The Newington Hartford Special Machinery Co The Hartford	Hat Machinery Doran Bros Inc Danbury	Hypodermic Needles Roehr Products Company Waterbury
Glass Blowing Macalaster Bicknell Company New Haven	Health Surgical & Orthopedic Supports Berger Brothers Company The (custom made for back, breast, and abdomen) New Haven	Ice Buckets B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division Shelton
Glass Cutters Fletcher-Terry Co The Forestville	Heat Elements Electroflex Heat Inc Hartford Safeway Heat Elements Inc (woven wire resistance type) Middletown	Inductors C G S Laboratories Inc Stamford
Glass Machinery Tavano Mfg Co Torrington	Heat Exchangers Whitlock Manufacturing Co The Hartford	Industrial Chrome Plating Mirror Polishing & Buffing Co Waterbury
	Heat Treating A F Holden Co The 52 Richard St West Haven Bennett Metal Treating Co The 1045 New Britain Ave Elmwood Commercial Metal Treating Co Bridgeport New Britain-Gridley Machine Division The New Britain Machine Co New Britain New Haven Heat Treating Co New Haven Stanley P Rockwell Co Inc The 296 Homestead Ave Hartford	Industrial Displays Sansone Co S Frederick (Designers Builders and Counselors) Short Beach
	Heat-Treating Equipment Autoyre Company The Oakville Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp Bristol A F Holden Company The West Haven (Main Plant) Hartford Bauer & Company Inc Fairfield Rolock Inc (Retorts, Muffles, etc.) Fairfield Stanley P Rockwell Co Inc The (commercial) 296 Homestead Ave Hartford	Industrial Finishes Chemical Coatings Corporation Rocky Hill United Chromium Incorporated Waterbury
		Industrial Tools—Powder Actuated Remington Arms Company Inc Bridgeport
		Inks Waterman Pen Company Inc Seymour
		Insecticides American Cyanamid Company Waterbury
		Insulated Wire & Cable General Electric Company Bridgeport Kerite Company The Seymour
		Insulated Wire & Cable Machinery Davis Electric Company Wallingford
		Instruments Bristol Company The Waterbury J-P-T Instruments Inc (Electrical and Temperature) New Haven Manning Maxwell & Moore Inc Stratford Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Precision Measuring) West Hartford
		Insulation Gilman Brothers Co The Gilman (Adv.)

IT'S MADE IN CONNECTICUT

Integrators	
Reflectone Corporation The	Stamford
Inter-Communications Equipment	
Conn Telephone & Electric Corp	Meriden
Great American Industries Inc	Meriden
Interval Timers	
Lux Clock Manufacturing Company	Waterbury
Rhodes Inc M H	Hartford
Jacquard	
Case Brothers Inc	Manchester
Japanning	
J H Sessions & Son	Bristol
Jig Borer	
Moore Special Tool Co (Moore)	Bridgeport
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Jigs, Fixtures & Gages	
Federal Machine & Tool Co	Bristol
Jig Grinder	
Moore Special Tool Co (Moore)	Bridgeport
Keller Machines	
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Key Blanks	
Sargent & Company	New Haven
Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford
Labels	
J & J Cash Inc (Woven)	South Norwalk
Naugatuck Chemical Division	United States
Rulher Co (for rubber articles)	Naugatuck
Label Moisteners	
Better Packages Inc	Shelton
Laboratory Equipment	
Eastern Industries Inc	New Haven
Laboratory Supplies	
Macalaster Bicknell Company	New Haven
Laces	
American Fabrics Company The	Bridgeport
Wilcox Lace Corporation The	Middletown
Laces and Nettings	
Wilcox Lace Corporation The	Middletown
Lacquers & Synthetic Enamels	
Chemical Coatings Corporation	Rocky Hill
I-Sis Chemicals Inc	Stamford
United Chromium Incorporated	Waterbury
Ladders	
A W Flint Co	196 Chapel St New Haven
Laminated Metal	
Bridgeport Brass Company	Bridgeport
Lamps	
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (metal oil)	Thomaston
Lampholders—Incandescent and Fluorescent	
General Electric Company	Bridgeport
Lamp Shades	
Verplex Company The	Essex
Lanterns—Battery Operated	
Electrical Div Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp	New Haven
Lathes—Contin-U-Matic	
Bullard Company The (vertical multi-spindle-continuous turning type)	Bridgeport
Lathes—30H Man-Au-Trol	
Bullard Company The (horizontal 3 spindle)	Bridgeport
Lathes—Multi-Au-Matic	
Bullard Company The (vertical multi-spindle-indexing type)	Bridgeport
Lathes—Toolroom and Automatic	
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Lathes—Vertical Turret	
Bullard Company The (single spindle)	Bridgeport
Lead Plating	
Christie Plating Co The	Groton
Leather	
Norwich Leather Co	Norwich
Herman Roser & Sons Inc (Genuine Pigskin)	Glastonbury
Leather Dog Furnishings	
Andrew B Hendryx Co The	New Haven
The Smith-Worthington Saddlery Co	Hartford
Leather Goods Trimmings	
G E Prentice Mfg Co The	Kensington
Leather, Mechanical	
Auburn Manufacturing Company	The (packings, cubs, washers, etc) Middletown
Letterheads	
Lehman Brothers Inc (designers, engravers, lithographers)	New Haven
Light Assemblies	
Saybrook Manufacturing Inc	Old Saybrook
Lighting Accessories—Fluorescent	
General Electric Company	Bridgeport
Lighting Equipment	
Fullerton Manufacturing Corp	Norwalk
Miller Co The (Miller, Duplexalite, Ivanhoe)	Meriden
Lines—Braided	
Essex Mills Inc	Essex
Lime	
New England Lime Company	Canaan
Lipstick Containers	
Bridgeport Metal Goods Mfg Co	Bridgeport
Plume & Atwood Manufacturing Co	Waterbury
Lithographers	
O'Toole & Sons Inc T	Stamford
Lithographing	
Kellogg & Bulkeley A Division of Connecticut Printers Inc	Hartford
Lehman Brothers Inc	New Haven
A D Steinbach & Sons	New Haven
Locks—Banks	
Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford
Locks—Builders	
Eagle Lock Co The	Terryville
Sargent & Company	New Haven
Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford
Locks—Cabinet	
Eagle Lock Co The	Terryville
Excelsior Hardware Co The	Stamford
Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford
Locks—Special Purpose	
Eagle Lock Co The	Terryville
Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford
Locks—Suitcase	
Eagle Lock Co The	Terryville
Locks—Suit-Case and Trimmings	
Excelsior Hardware Co The	Stamford
Locks—Trunk	
Eagle Lock Co The	Terryville
Excelsior Hardware Co The	Stamford
Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford
Locks—Zipper	
Excelsior Hardware Co The	Stamford
Loom—Non-Metallic	
Wiremold Company The	Hartford
Lumber & Millwork Products	
City Lumber Co of Bridgeport Inc	Bridgeport
Machetes	
Collins Company The	Collinsville
Machine Design	
Black Rock Mfg Company The	Bridgeport
Machine Tool Designers	
R & S Company	New Britain
Machine Tools	
Bullard Company The	Bridgeport
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Producto Machine Company The	Bridgeport
Machine Work	
Black Rock Mfg Company The	Bridgeport
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia
Fenn Manufacturing Company The (precision parts)	Newington
Hartford Special Machinery Co The (contract work only)	Hartford
National Sheradizing & Machine Co (job)	Hartford
Parker Stamp Works Inc The (Special)	Hartford
Swan Tool & Machine Co The	Hartford
Torrington Manufacturing Co The (special rolling mill machinery)	Torrington
Machinery	
Fenn Manufacturing Company The (special)	Newington
Globe Tapping Machine Company (dial type drilling and tapping)	Bridgeport
Hallden Machine Company The (mill)	Thomaston
Torrington Manufacturing Co The (mill)	Torrington
Machinery—Automatic	
Banthin Engineering Company (new and rebuilt)	Bridgeport
Machinery—Bolt and Nut	
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The	Waterbury
Machinery—Cold Heading	
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The	Waterbury
Machinery Dealers & Rebuilders	
Botwinik Brothers	New Haven
J L Lucas and Son	Fairfield
State Machinery Co Inc	New Haven
Machinery—Extruding	
Standard Machinery Co The	Mystic
Machinery—Metal-Working	
Fenn Mfg Co The	Newington
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The	Waterbury
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Machinery—Nut	
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The (forming and tapping)	Waterbury
Machinery—Screw and Rivet	
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The	Waterbury
Machinery—Wire Drawing	
Fenn Mfg Co The	Newington
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The	Waterbury
Machinery—Wire Straightening	
Mettler Machine Tool Inc	New Haven
Machines	
Campbell Machine Div American Chain & Cable Co Inc (cutting & nibbling)	Bridgeport
Coulter & McKenzie Machine Co The (special, new development engineering design and construction)	Bridgeport
Patent Button Company The	Waterbury
Machines—Automatic	
A H Nilson Mach Co The (Special)	Bridgeport
Machines—Automatic Chucking	
Bullard Company The	Bridgeport
New Britain-Gridley Machine Division	New Britain
The New Britain Machine Co (multiple spindle and double end)	New Britain
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Potter & Johnson)	West Hartford
Machines—Automatic Screw	
New Britain-Gridley Machine Division	New Britain
The New Britain Machine Co (single and multiple spindle)	New Britain
Machines—Automatic Shaft Turning	
Bullard Company The (30H lathe—horizontal 3 spindle)	Bridgeport
Machines—Brushing	
Fuller Brush Co The	Hartford
Machines—Contin-U-Matic	
Bullard Company The (vertical multi-spindle—continuous turning)	Bridgeport
Machines—Draw Benches	
Fenn Manufacturing Company The	Newington
Machines—Drill Spacing	
Bullard Company The (Bullard spacer—used in conjunction with radical drills)	Bridgeport
Machines—Forming	
A H Nilson Mach Co The (four-slide wire and ribbon stock)	Bridgeport
Machines—Multi-Au-Matic	
Bullard Company The	Bridgeport
Machines—Paper Ruling	
John McAdams & Sons Inc	Norwalk
Machines—Pipe & Bolt Threading	
Capewell Mfg Co The	Hartford (Adv.)

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Machines—Precision Boring
New Britain-Gridley Machine Division
The New Britain Machine Co New Britain

Machines—Rolling
Fenn Manufacturing Company The Newington

Machine—Slotting
Globe Tapping Machine Company The (High
Production Screw Head Slotting) Bridgeport
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The
(screw head) Waterbury

Machines—Special
Fenn Mfg Co The Newington
Fuller Brush Co The Hartford

Machines—Swaging
Fenn Manufacturing Company The Newington

Machines—Thread Rolling
Hartford Special Machinery Co The Hartford
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The
Waterbury

Machines—Turks Head
Fenn Manufacturing Company The Newington

Machines—Well Drilling
Consolidated Industries West Cheshire

Machines—Wire Drawing
Fenn Manufacturing Company The Newington

Magnesium Castings
Stamford Casting Company Stamford

Magnet Wire
Viking Wire Co Inc Danbury

Manicure Instruments
W E Bassett Company The Derby

Manganese Bronze Ingot
Whipple and Choate Company Bridgeport

Marine Engines
Kilborn-Sauer Company (running lights and
searchlights) Fairfield
Lathrop Engine Co The Mystic

Marine Equipment
Russell Manufacturing Company The (utility
cord and accessory hardware) Middletown
Wilcox-Crittenden Div North & Judd Mfg Co
Middletown

Marine Reserve Gears
Snow-Nabstedt Gear Corp The New Haven

Marking Devices
Hoggson & Pettis Mfg Co The New Haven
Parker Stamp Works Inc The (steel) Hartford

Material Handling
Parsons Co Inc W A (tote pans) Durham

Mats—Newspaper
Lockwood Sons Inc Wm H Hartford

Mattresses
Waterbury Mattress Co Waterbury

Metal Boxes
Parsons Co Inc W A (tool kits) Durham

Metal Boxes and Displays
Durham Mfg Co The (Designing & Mfg to
customers' specifications) Durham
Meriam Mfg Co (Bond, Security, Cash, Util-
ity, Personal Files, Drawer Safes, Custombuilt
containers and displays) Durham
Charles Parker Co (sheet metal fabricators)
Meriden

Metal Cleaners
Apothecaries Hall Co Waterbury
Enthone Inc New Haven
MacDermid Incorporated Waterbury

Metal Cleaning Machines
Colt's Manufacturing Company Hartford

Metal Finishes
Enthone Inc New Haven
Mitchell-Bradford Chemical Co Bridgeport
United Chromium Incorporated Waterbury

Metal Finishing
Hartford Industrial Finishing Co Hartford
National Sheradizing & Machine Co Hartford
Waterbury Plating Company Waterbury

Metal Formings
Master Engineering Company West Cheshire
Stanley Pressed Metal New Britain

Metal Mouldings
Leed Co The H A Hamden

Metalizing
Conn Metal Finishing Co Hamden

Metal Novelties
H C Cook Co The 32 Beaver St Ansonia

Metal Products—Stampings
American Brass Company The Waterbury
Plume & Atwood Manufacturing Co

Metal Products—Stampings
J H Sessions & Son Thomaston
Scovill Manufacturing Company (Made-to-Or-
der) Waterbury 91
Stanley Pressed Metal New Britain

Metal Specialties
Excelsior Hardware Co The Stamford

Metal Spinning
Moseley Metal Crafts Inc West Hartford

Metal Stampings
American Brass Company The Waterbury
Autore Co The (Small) Oakville
Better Formed Metals Inc Waterbury
DooVal Tool & Mfg Inc The Naugatuck
Excelsior Hardware Co The Stamford
Greist Mfg Co The 503 Blake St New Haven
H C Cook Co The 32 Beaver St Ansonia
Humason Mfg Co The Forestville
Mohawk Mfg Co (threaded) Middletown
J A Otterbein Company The (metal fabrica-
tions) Middletown

Meters
Standard Meter Repair Co The Shelton

Meters—Gas
Sprague Meter Company Bridgeport

Meters—Parking
Rhodes Inc M H Hartford

Microfilming
American Microfilming Service Company New Haven

Milk Bottle Carriers
John P Smith Co The 423-33 Chapel St New Haven

Millwork
Hartford Builders Finish Co Hartford

Milling Machines
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co
(Keller Tracer—Controlled Milling Machines)
West Hartford

Rowbottom Machine Company Inc (cam)
Waterbury

Mill Supplies
Wilcox-Crittenden Div North & Judd Mfg Co
Middletown

Miniature Precision Connectors
Gorn Electric Co Stamford

Minute Minders
Lux Clock Mfg Co The Waterbury

Mirror Rosettes and Hangers
Waterbury Companies Inc Waterbury

Mixing Equipment
Eastern Industries Inc New Haven
Gabb Special Products Div. The E Horton &
Son Co Windsor Locks

Mops
Fuller Brush Co The Hartford

Motor Control Centers
Distribution Assemblies Department, General
Electric Co Plainville

Motor—Generator Sets
Electric Specialty Co Stamford

Motors—Electric Timing
Cramer Co Inc The R W Centerbrook

Motors—Synchronous
Cramer Co Inc The R W Centerbrook
Electric Specialty Co Stamford

Moulded Plastic Products
Butterfield Inc T F Naugatuck
Colt's Manufacturing Company Hartford
Patent Button Co The Waterbury
Waterbury Companies Inc Waterbury
Watertown Mfg Co The 117 Echo Lake Road
Watertown

Mouldings
Himmel Brothers Co The (architectural, metal
and store front) Hamden

Moulds
ABA Tool & Die Co Manchester
Hoggson & Pettis Mfg Co The (steel)
114 Brewery St New Haven

Moulds
Parker Stamp Works Inc The (compression
injection & transfer for plastics) Hartford

Napper Clothing
Standard Card Clothing Co The (for textile
mills) Stafford Springs

Nettings
Wilcox Lace Corp The Middletown

Newspaper Mats
Lockwood Sons Inc Wm H Hartford

Nickel Anodes
Apothecaries Hall Co Waterbury

Nickel Silver
American Brass Company The Waterbury
Bridgeport Brass Company Bridgeport

Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The
Seymour Mfg Co The (sheets, strips,
rolls) Waterbury

Western Brass Mills Div Olin Mathieson
Chemical Corp (sheet, strip) New Haven

Nickel Silver Ingot
Whipple and Choate Company The Bridgeport

Night Latches
Sargent & Company New Haven

Non-ferrous Metal Castings
Yale & Towne Mfg Co Inc Stamford

Nuts, Bolts and Washers
Miller Company The Meriden
Charles Parker Co Meriden

Office Equipment
Clark Brothers Bolt Co Milldale

Offset Printing
Pitney-Bowes Inc Stamford
Underwood Corporation Bridgeport & Hartford

Oil Burners
Kellogg & Bulkeley A Division of Connecticut
Printers Inc Hartford

Oil Tanks
Miller Company The (domestic) Meriden
Peabody Engineering Corp (Mechanical and/or
Steam Atomizer) Stamford

Open Knife Switches and Accessories
Silent Glow Oil Burner Corp The
1477 Park St Hartford

Optical Cores & Ingots
Norwalk Tank Co The (\$50 to 30M gals, under-
writers above and under ground) South Norwalk

Optics—Cutting
Whitlock Manufacturing Co The Hartford

Ovens—Electric
Anderson Oil Co Inc F E Portland

Package Sealers
Trumbull Components Department, General
Electric Co Plainville

Packing
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The Thomaston

Packing
The Falls Company Norwich

Outlets—Electric
General Electric Company Bridgeport

Ovens—Electric
Bauer & Company Inc Hartford

Package Sealers
Better Packages Inc Shelton

Packaging Machinery
Colt's Manufacturing Company (box making
machinery, Trade mark "Rite Size") Hartford

Packing
Auburn Manufacturing Company The (leather,
rubber, asbestos, fibre) Middletown

Packing & Packing
Raybestos Division of Raybestos-Manhattan
Inc (Asbestos and Rubber Sheet) Bridgeport

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Mercer & Stewart Co The Hartford

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
The Baker Goodyear Company New Haven

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Sargent & Company New Haven
Waterbury Lock & Specialty Co The
Yale & Towne Mfg Co Inc Milford

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Staminate Corp The New Haven

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Moore Special Tool Co (crush wheel dresser)
Bridgeport

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Distribution Assemblies Department, General
Electric Co Plainville

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Leed Co The H A Hamden

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Federal Paper Board Co Inc
Montville, New Haven & Versailles

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Gair Company Inc Robert Montville
Robertson Paper Box Co Montville
New Haven Board and Carton Co New Haven

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
American Rondo Corporation
(specialty partitions) Hamden

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
Atlantic Carton Corp (folding) Norwich
Gair Co Inc Robert (folding) Montville
National Folding Box Co Inc (folding)
New Haven and Versailles

Panelboards—Lighting and Distribution
New Haven Board and Carton Co The
Mills Inc H J New Haven
Robertson Paper Box Co (folding) Bristol
Montville (Adv.)

IT'S MADE IN CONNECTICUT

Paper Boxes—Folding and Setup		Plastic Molders		Presses—Power	
Bridgeport Paper Box Company	Bridgeport	Plastic Molding Corporation	Sandy Hook	Pneumatic Applications Co The (moderniza-	tion of presses through conversion to
M Backes' Sons Inc	Wallingford			to Wichita Air Clutch operation) Sims-	bury
Paper Clips		Plastic Molding		Pressure Vessels	
H C Cook Co The (steel) 32 Beaver St	Ansonia	Butterfield, Inc T F	Naugatuck	Norwalk Tank Co Inc The (unfired to ASME	Code Par U 69-70) South Norwalk
Paper Mill Machinery		Plastic Molders		Printing	
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia	U S Plastic Molding Corporation	Wallingford	Whitlock Manufacturing Co The	Hartford
Paper Tags and Pin Tickets		Plastic Molders		Printing	
Waterbury Tag Company The	Waterbury	Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford	Bussmann Press Inc	New Haven
Paper Tubes and Cores		Plastic Molders		Printing	
Sonoco Products Co (Climax-Lowell) Div	Mystic	Conn Plastics	Waterbury	Case Lockwood & Brainard A Division of	Connecticut Printers Inc Hartford
Parachute Cord		Plastic Wire Coating Materials		Printing	
Essex Mills Inc	Essex	Electronic Rubber Co	Stamford	Finlay Brothers	Hartford
Parallel Tubes		Plastic Molds & Dies		Printing	
Sonoco Products Co (Climax-Lowell) Div	Mystic	Crown Tool & Die Co Inc	Bridgeport	Heminway Corporation The	Waterbury
Parkerizing		Plastic Molds & Dies		Printing	
Claireglow Mfg Company	Portland	Parker Stamp Works Inc The (for	Hartford	Hildreth Press	Bristol
Parking Meters		Plasticrete Bloc		Printing	
Rhodes Inc M H	Hartford	Plasticrete Corp	Hamden	Hunter Press	Hartford
Passenger Car Sander		Plates—Switch		Printing	
Conn Telephone & Electric Corp Subsidiary of	Meriden	General Electric Company	Bridgeport	Lehman Brothers Inc	New Haven
Pattern-Makers		Plates		Printing	
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia	Acme Chromium Plating Co	New Haven	Taylor & Greenough Co The	Wethersfield
Penlights		Plating		Printing	
Bridgeport Metal Goods Mfg Co	Bridgeport	Christie Plating Co	Groton	T B Simonds Inc	Hartford
Pet Furnishings		Plating		Printing	
Andrew B Hendrix Co The	New Haven	City Plating Works	Bridgeport	A D Steinbach & Sons	New Haven
Pharmaceutical Specialties		Plating		Printing	
Ernst Bischoff Company Inc	Ivoryton	Patent Button Co The	Waterbury	The Walker-Rackliff Company	New Haven
Phosphor Bronze		Plating		Printing	
American Brass Company The	Waterbury	Water Plating Company	Waterbury	Printing Machinery	
Bridgeport Brass Company	Bridgeport	Chromium Process Company The	Derby	Banthin Engineering Co (automatic)	Bridgeport
Miller Company The (sheets, strips, rolls)	Meriden	Plating only)		Thomas W Hall Company	Stamford
Seymour Mfg Co The	Seymour	Platers' Equipment		Printing Plates	
Waterbury Rolling Mills Inc (sheets, strips,	Waterbury	Apothecaries Hall Company	Waterbury	Lockwood Sons Inc Wm H	Hartford
Western Brass Mills Div Olin Mathieson	New Haven	Conn Metalcraft Inc	New Haven	Printing Rollers	
Chemical Corp (sheet, strip)	New Haven	Lea Manufacturing Co The	Waterbury	Chambers-Storck Company Inc The (engraved)	Norwich
Phosphor Bronze Ingots		MacDermid Incorporated	Waterbury	Production Control Equipment	
Whipple and Choate Company The	Bridgeport	Platers' Metal		Ripley Company Inc	Middletown
Photoflash Batteries		Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston	Production Welding	
Electrical Div Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp	New Haven	Plating		Consolidated Industries	West Cheshire
Photographic Equipment		Christie Plating Co The (including lead plat-		Profilers	
Electrical Div Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp	New Haven	ing)	Groton	Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Kalart Company Inc	Plainville	Conn Metal Finishing Co	Hamden	Propellers—Aircraft	
Piano Repairs		Superior Plating Co	Bridgeport	Hamilton Standard Div United Aircraft Corp	(propellers and other aircraft equipment) Windsor Locks
Pratt Read & Co Inc (keys and action)	Ivoryton	Plating Processes and Supplies		Protective Coatings	
Piano Supplies		Enthone Inc	New Haven	Harrison Company The A S (Waxes)	South Norwalk
Pratt Read & Co (keys and actions, backs,	Ivoryton	United Chromium Incorporated	Waterbury	Publishers	
plates)	Ivoryton	Plumbers' Brass Goods		O'Toole & Sons Inc The	Stamford
Pins		Bridgeport Brass Co	Bridgeport	Pumps	
CEM Company ("Spirol")	Danielson	Keeney Mfg Co The (special bends)	Newington	Yale & Towne Mfg Co The	Stamford
Pin Up Lamps		Scovill Manufacturing Company	Waterbury 48	Pumps—Small Industrial	
Verplex Company The	Essex	Plumbing Specialties		Eastern Industries Inc	New Haven
Pipe		Risdon Manufacturing Co John	M Russell	Pump Valves	
American Brass Co The (brass and copper)	Waterbury	Div	Naugatuck	Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford
Bridgeport Brass Co (brass and copper)	Waterbury	Pneumatic Machinery		Punches	
Chas Brass & Copper Co (red brass and cop-	Waterbury	Bourne Tool & Die Co (built designed &	Watertown	Hoggson & Pettis Mfg Co The (ticket & cloth)	141 Brewery St New Haven
per)	Waterbury	tooled)		Putty Softeners—Electrical	
Howard Co (cement well and chimney)	New Haven	Pole Line Hardware		Fletcher Terry Co The	Box 415 Forestville
Pipe Fitters Hand Tools & Pipe Threading		Malleable Iron Fittings Co	Brantford	Pyrometers	
Machines		Police Equipment		Bristol Co The (recording and controlling)	Waterbury
Capewell Manufacturing Company	Hartford	The Smith-Worthington Saddlery Co	Hartford	Radiation—Finned Copper	
Pipe Fittings		Polishing		Bush Manufacturing Co	West Hartford
Corley Co Inc	Plainville	*Mirror Polishing & Buffing Co	Waterbury	G & O Manufacturing Company The	New Haven
Malleable Iron Fittings Co	Brantford	Poly Chokes		Vulcan Radiator Co The (steel and copper)	Hartford
Pipe Plugs		Poly Choke Company The (a shotgun choking	Tariffville	Raditors—Engine Cooling	
Holo-Krome Screw Corporation The (counter-	West Hartford	device)		G & O Manufacturing Co	New Haven
Pipe Plugs—Socketed		Pitney Bowes Inc	Stamford	Ratchet Offset Screw Driver	
Holo-Krome Screw Corp The	West Hartford	Potentiometers—Electronic		Chapman Co J W	Durham
Plastics		Bristol Company The	Waterbury	Rayon Staple Fiber	
B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division Shelton	Shelton	Power Rollers		Hartford Rayon Corp The	Rocky Hill
Humphrey Fabricating Corp (laminated,	Unionville	Consolidated Industries Inc	West Cheshire	Reamers	
fabricated parts)	Unionville	Precision Electronic Chassis	Old Saybrook	Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	(All types) West Hartford
Naugatuck Chemical Division United States	Naugatuck	Saybrook Manufacturing Inc		Recorders	
Rubber Co	Naugatuck	Precision Machine Tool Spindles		Bristol Co The (automatic controllers, tempera-	ture, pressure, flow, humidity) Waterbury
Plastic Buttons		Whitnon Manufacturing Co (for milling,	Farmington	Reduction Gears	
Frank Parizek Manufacturing Co The	West Willington	grinding, boring & drilling)		Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia
Patent Button Co The		Precision Manufacturing		Snow-Nabstedt Gear Corp The	New Haven
Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford	Newton Co The (aircraft parts)	Manchester	Refractories	
Plastic Materials		Precision Revolving Machinery		Howard Company	New Haven
American Cyanamid Co (Molding Compounds,	Compounds,	Whitnon Manufacturing Co	Farmington	Mullite Refractories Company The	Shelton
Adhesives, Laminating Resins)	Wallingford	Rowley Spring Co Inc The	Bristol	Refrigeration	
Plastic Printing Plates		Prefabricated Buildings		Bowser Technical Refrigeration Div Bowser	Inc (high altitude, low temperature) Terryville
Lockwood Sons Inc Wm H	Hartford	City Lumber of Bridgeport Inc The	Bridgeport	Bush Manufacturing Co The	West Hartford
Plastics Machinery		Premium Specialties		Regulators	
Black Rock Mfg Company The	Bridgeport	Waterbury Companies Inc	Waterbury	Norwalk Valve Company (for gas and air)	South Norwalk
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia	Preservatives—Wood, Rope, Fabric		Sorensen & Company Inc	Stamford
		Darworth Incorporated ("Cuprinol")	Simsbury	Research & Development	
		Press Papers		Raymond Engineering Laboratories	(Electro-Mechanical) Middletown (Advt.)
		Case Brothers Inc	Manchester		
		Presses			
		Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc (Hydraulic	Ansonia		
		Presses—Molding			
		Standard Machinery Co The (compression and	Mystic		
		transfer molding, automatic and semi-auto-			
		matic)			

IT'S MADE IN CONNECTICUT

Resistance Wire	
C O Jelliff Mfg Co The (nickel chromium, copper nickel, iron chromium, aluminum)	Southport
Kanthal Corporation The	Stamford
Respirators	
American Optical Company	Putnam
Retainers	
Hartford Steel Ball Co The (bicycle & automotive)	Hartford
Riveting Machines	
Grant Mfg & Machine Co The	Bridgeport
Ripley Company Inc	Middletown
H P Townsend Manufacturing Co The	Elmwood
Rivets	
Blake & Johnson Co The (brass, copper and non-ferrous)	Waterbury
Clark Brothers Bolt Co	Milldale
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston
Raybestos Div of Raybestos-Manhattan Inc The (brass and aluminum tubular and solid copper)	Bridgeport
Raybestos Div of Raybestos-Manhattan Inc The (iron)	Bridgeport
Rods	
American Brass Company The (copper, brass, bronze)	Bridgeport
Bridgeport Brass Company	Bridgeport
Bristol Brass Corp The (brass and bronze)	Bristol
Scovill Manufacturing Company (brass and bronze)	Waterbury 91
Rollers—Bituminous Paving	
Gabb Special Products Div E Horton & Son Company	Windsor Locks
Roller Skate Wheels	
Raybestos Division of Raybestos-Manhattan Inc	Bridgeport
Roller Skates	
Arms and Ammunition Div Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp	New Haven
Rolling Mills & Equipment	
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia
Fenn Mfg Co The	Newington
Precision Methods & Machines Inc	Waterbury
Waterbury Farrel Foundry & Machine Co The	Waterbury
Rolls	
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc (Chilled and Alloy Iron, Steel)	Ansonia
Rope Wire	
American Steel & Wire Div of U S Steel	New Haven
Rubber Chemicals	
Naugatuck Chemical Division United States Rubber Co	Naugatuck
Stamford Rubber Supply Co The ("Factice" Vulcanized Vegetable Oils)	Stamford
Rubber—Cellular	
B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division	Shelton
Rubber Cutting Machinery	
Black Rock Mfg Company The	Bridgeport
Rubber Printing Plates	
Lockwood Sons Inc Wm H	Hartford
Rubberized Fabrics	
Duro-Gloss Rubber Co The	New Haven
Rubber Footwear	
Goodyear Rubber Co The	Middletown
Rubber Gloves	
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven
Rubber—Handmade Specialties	
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven
Rubber—Latex Foam	
B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division	Shelton
Rubber Latex Compounds and Dispersions	
Naugatuck Chemical Division United States Rubber Co (coating, impregnating and adhesive compounds)	Naugatuck
Rubber Mill Machinery	
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia
Rubber Products	
Airex Rubber Prod Corp	Portland
Rubber—Molded Specialties	
Airex Rubber Prod Corp	Portland
Canfield Co The H O	Bridgeport
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven
Rubber Products—Mechanical	
Auburn Manufacturing Company The (washers, gaskets, molded parts)	Middletown
Canfield Co The H O	Bridgeport
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven
Rubber—Reclaimed	
Naugatuck Chemical Division United States Rubber Co	Naugatuck
Rubbers	
Naugatuck Chemical Div U S Rubber Co (special synthetic)	Naugatuck
Rubbish Burners	
John P Smith Co The	423-33 Chapel St New Haven
Rust Preventives	
Anderson Oil Co Inc F E	Portland
Saddlery	
The Smith-Worthington Saddlery Co	Hartford
Safety Clothing	
American Optical Company Safety Division	Putnam
Safety Fuses	
Ensign-Bickford Co The (mining & detonating)	Simsbury
Safety Gloves and Mittens	
American Optical Company Safety Division	Putnam
Safety Goggles	
American Optical Company Safety Division	Putnam
Safety Switches	
Trumbull Components Department, Electric Co	Plainville
Saw Blades—Hack	
Capewell Mfg Co The	Hartford
Saw Blades—Hack & Band	
Capewell Manufacturing Company	Hartford
Saws, Band, Metal Cutting	
Atlantic Saw Mfg Co	New Haven
Scissors	
Acme Shear Company The	Bridgeport
Screens	
Hartford Wire Works Co The (Windows, Doors and Porches)	Hartford
Screw Caps	
Weimann Bros Mfg Co The (small for bottles)	Derby
Screw Machines	
H P Townsend Mfg Company The	Elmwood
Screw Machine Products	
Apex Tool Co Inc The	Bridgeport
Blake & Johnson Co The	Waterbury
Consolidated Industries	West Cheabire
Dependable Automatic Screw Co	Waterbury
Eastern Machine Screw Corp The	New Haven
Truman & Barclay Sts	Winsted
Fairchild Screw Products Inc	Hartford
Franklin Screw Machine Co The (up to 1 1/2" capacity)	Hartford
Garthwait Mfg Co A E (up to and incl 1 1/2")	Waterbury
Greist Mfg Co The (Up to 1 1/2" capacity)	New Haven
Horberg Grinding Industries Inc (Heat treated and ground type only)	Bridgeport
19 Staples Street	Forestville
Humason Mfg Co The	West Haven
Kerrison Company	Wethersfield
Lowie Mfg Co The	Berlin
National Automatic Products Company The	Plantsville
Nelson's Screw Machine Products	New Britain
New Britain Machine Company The	New Britain
New Haven Screw Machine Prods Inc (up to 1 1/2" capacity)	Milford
Olson Brothers Company (up to 1/4" capacity)	Plainville
Olson & Sons R P	Southington
Peck Spring Co The	Plainville
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston
Scovill Manufacturing Company	Waterbury 91
United Screw Machine Co	Thomaston
Waterbury Machine Tools & Products Co (Brown & Sharpe and Davenport)	Waterbury
Screw Machine Tools	
American Cam Company Inc (Circular Form Tools)	Hartford
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co (Reamers, Taps, Dies, Blades and Knurls)	West Hartford
Somma Tool Co (precision circular form tools)	Waterbury
Screws	
American Screw Company	Willimantic
Atlantic Screw Works (wood)	Hartford
Blake & Johnson Co The (machine and wood)	Waterbury
Bristol Company The (socket set and socket cap screws)	Waterbury
Clark Brothers Bolt Co	Milldale
Eagle Lock Co The	Terryville
Holo-Krome Screw Corporation The (socket set and socket cap)	West Hartford
Scovill Manufacturing Company	Waterbury 91
Superior Manufacturing Co The	Winsted
Screw—Sockets	
Allen Manufacturing Company The	Hartford
Bristol Co The	Waterbury
Holo-Krome Screw Corp The	West Hartford
Sealing Tape Machines	
Better Packages Inc	Shelton
Service Entrance Equipment	
Trumbull Components Department, General Electric Co	Plainville
Sewing Machines	
Greist Mfg Co The (Sewing Machine attachments)	503 Blake St New Haven
Morrow Machine Co The (Industrial)	Hartford
Singer Manufacturing Company The (Industrial)	Bridgeport
Shaving Soaps	
J B Williams Co The	Glastonbury
Shears	
Acme Shear Co The (household)	Bridgeport
Shells	
Wolcott Tool and Manufacturing Company Inc	Waterbury
Sheet Metal Products	
American Brass Co The (brass and copper)	Waterbury
Dresser Products Inc (Fabricators)	Canaan
Merriam Mfg Co (security boxes, fitted tool boxes, tackle boxes, displays)	Durham
Charles Parker Co (sheet metal fabricators)	Meriden
Parsons Co Inc W A (fabricators)	Durham
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston
United Manufacturing Co Division of The W L Maxson Corp	Hamden
Sheet Metal Stampings	
American Brass Company The	Waterbury
American Buckle Co The	West Haven
DooVal Tool & Mfg Inc The	Naugatuck
J H Sessions & Son	Bristol
Patent Button Co The	Waterbury
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston
Shipment Sealers	
Better Packages Inc	Shelton
Showcase Lighting Equipment	
Wiremold Company The	Hartford
Signals	
H C Cook Co The (for card files)	Ansonia
32 Beaver St	
Signs	
Berger Sign Co (neon electric-porcelain enamel-stainless steel)	Hartford
Silk Screen Process Printing	
Norton Co B H	New Haven
Silk Screen Printing	
Sirocco Screenprints	New Haven
Silk Screening on Metal	
Merriam Mfg Co (Displays and Specialties, to order)	Durham
Simulators	
Reflectone Corporation The	Stamford
Sintered Metal Products	
Raybestos Division of Raybestos-Manhattan Inc	Bridgeport
Sizing and Finishing Compounds	
American Cyanamid Company	Waterbury
Slide Fasteners	
G E Prentice Mfg Co The	Kensington
North & Judd Manufacturing Co	New Britain
Slings	
American Steel & Wire Div of U. S. Steel	New Haven
Smoke Stacks	
Bigelow Company The (steel)	New Haven
Norwalk Tank Co The	South Norwalk
Soap	
J B Williams Co The (industrial soaps, toilet soaps, shaving soaps)	Glastonbury
Special Machinery	
Banthin Engineering Company (complete and/or parts)	Bridgeport
Boesch Mfg Co Inc	Danbury
Black Rock Mfg Company The	Bridgeport
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia
Federal Machine & Tool Co	Bristol
Fenn Mfg Co The	Newington
H P Townsend Mfg Company The (mandrels & stock shells for rubber industry)	Elmwood
National Sheradizing & Machine Co	Hartford
Swan Tool & Machine Co The	Hartford
Special Parts	
Fenn Mfg Co The	Newington
Greist Mfg Co The (small machines, especially precision stampings)	New Haven
J H Sessions & Son	Bristol
Spinnings	
Gray Manufacturing Company The	Hartford
Spine Milling Machines	
Townsend Mfg Co The H P	Elmwood
Sponge Rubber	
B F Goodrich Sponge Products Division	Shelton
Spotwelding	
Spotwelders Inc (aluminum, steel, magnesium, titanium & alloys)	Stratford
Spray Painting Equipment and Supplies	
Lea Manufacturing Co The	Waterbury
	(Advt.)

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Spring Colling Machines	
Torrington Manufacturing Co The	Torrington
Spring Presses	
Townsend Mfg Co The H F	Elmwood
Spring Units	
Owen Silent Spring Division American Chain & Cable Company Inc	Bridgeport
Spring Washers	
Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp	Bristol
Springs—Coil & Flat	
Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp	Bristol
Bristol Spring Manufacturing Co	Plainville
Foursome Manufacturing Co	Bristol
Humason Mfg Co The	Forestville
Newcomb Spring Corp The	Southington
New England Spring Manufacturing Company	Unionville
Peck Spring Co The	Plainville
Springs—Flat	
Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp	Bristol
Bristol Spring Manufacturing Co	Plainville
Foursome Manufacturing Co	Bristol
Humason Mfg Co The	Forestville
Springs—Furniture	
Owen Silent Spring Division American Chain & Cable Company Inc	Bridgeport
Springs—Wire	
Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp	Bristol
Bristol Spring Manufacturing Co	Plainville
Colonial Spring Corporation The	Hartford
Connecticut Spring Corporation The (compression, extension, torsion)	Hartford
Foursome Manufacturing Co	Bristol
Humason Mfg Co The	Forestville
D R Templeman Co (coil and torsion)	Plainville
J W Bernston Company (coil and torsion)	Plainville
Newcomb Spring Corp The	Southington
Springs, Wire & Flat	
Autoyre Company The	Oakville
Stamped Metal Products	
American Brass Company The	Waterbury
Stamps	
Hoggson & Pettis Mfg Co The (steel)	New Haven
141 Brewery St	Hartford
Parker Stamp Works Inc The (steel)	Hartford
Stampings	
C & H Mfg Co Inc	Watertown
Donahue Mfg Co Inc	Naugatuck
DooVal Tool & Mfg Inc The	Bristol
Foursome Manufacturing Co	Thomaston
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (small)	Thomaston
Saybrook Manufacturing Inc	Old Saybrook
Stanley Pressed Metal	New Britain
Stampings—Small	
Acme Shear Co The	Bridgeport
Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp	Bristol
Bristol Spring Manufacturing Co	Plainville
Great Manufacturing Co The	New Haven
Humason Mfg Co The	Forestville
Stationery Specialties	
American Brass Company The	Waterbury
Steel	
Stanley Works The (cold rolled strip)	New Britain
Steel Castings	
Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia
Hartford Electric Steel Corp The (Carbon, low alloy and stainless steel and Ductile iron)	Hartford
Malleable Iron Fittings Co	Branford
Nutmeg Crucible Steel Co	Branford
Steel—Cold Rolled Spring	
Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp	Bristol
Steel—Cold Rolled Stainless	
Ulbrich Stainless Steels	Wallingford
Wallingford Steel Company	Wallingford
Steel—Cold Rolled Strip and Sheets	
American Steel & Wire Div of U S Steel	New Haven
Detroit Steel Corporation	New Haven
Wallingford Steel Company	Wallingford
Steel Goods	
Merriam Mfg Co (sheets products to order)	Durham
Steel—Hot Rolled Strip	
Northeastern Steel Corp	Bridgeport
Steel Rolling Rules	
Waterbury Lock & Specialty Co The	Milford
Steel Strapping	
Stanley Works The	New Britain
Stereotypes	
New Haven Electrotpe Div	Electrographic Corp
	New Haven
Stop Clocks, Electric	
H C Thompson Clock Co The	Bristol
Storage Batteries	
R A E Storage Battery Mfg Co	Glastonbury
Straps, Leather	
Auburn Manufacturing Company	The (textile, industrial, skate, carriage)
	Middletown
Structural Mouldings	
Leed Co The H A	Hamden
Studio Couches	
Waterbury Mattress Co	Waterbury
Super Refractories	
Mullite Refractories Company The	Shelton
Surface Metal Raceway & Fittings	
Wiremold Company The	Hartford
Surgical Dressings	
Acme Cotton Products Co Inc	East Killingly
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven
Surgical Rubber Goods	
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven
Switches—Electric	
General Electric Company	Bridgeport
Swaging Machinery	
Penn Mfg Co The	Newington
Hartford Special Machinery Co The	Hartford
Switchboards	
Distribution Assemblies Department, General Electric Co	Plainville
Switchboards Wire and Cables	
Rockbestos Products Corp (asbestos insulated)	New Haven
Synthetic Resins	
American Cyanamid Co (Textile Resins, Paper Resins)	Waterbury
Tabulating Equipment—Manual	
Denominator Company Inc	Woodbury
Taps	
Waterbury Tag Company The (Paper and Cloth)	Waterbury
Tanks	
Higelow Company The (steel)	New Haven
Connecticut Welders Inc (steel, alloy & lined)	Wallingford
Norwalk Tank Co The	South Norwalk
Rolock Inc (Alloy)	Fairfield
Storts Welding Company (steel and alloy)	Meriden
Tape	
Russell Manufacturing Company The (woven cotton and woven glass tape)	Middletown
Tapes—Industrial Pressure Sensitive	
Seamless Rubber Company The	New Haven
Tape Recorders	
Conn Telephone & Electric Corp Subsidiary of Great American Industries Inc	Meriden
Tape Recorder Magazines	
Conn Telephone & Electric Corp Subsidiary of Great American Industries Inc	Meriden
Tap Extractors	
Walton Company The	West Hartford
Taps	
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Tarred Lines	
Brownell & Co Inc	Moodus
Telemetering Instruments	
Bristol Co The	Waterbury
Telephone Answering & Recording Machines	
Conn Telephone & Electric Corp Subsidiary of Great American Industries Inc	Meriden
Testers—Insulation	
McNeal J D	New Haven
Testers—Insulation Wire & Cable	
Davis Electric Company	Wallingford
Testers—Non-Destructive	
Sperry Products Inc	Danbury
Textile Machinery	
Marrow Machine Co The	Hartford
2814 Laurel St	
Textile Mill Supplies	
Ernst Bischoff Company Inc	Ivoryton
Textile Printing Gums	
Polymer Industries Inc	Springdale
Textile Processors	
American Dyeing Corporation (rayon, acetate, nylon, dacron, other synthetics)	Rockville
Thermometers	
Bristol Co The (recording and automatic control)	Waterbury
Manning Maxwell & Moore Inc	Stratford
Thermostats	
Bridgeport Thermostat Company Inc (automatic)	Bridgeport
Thin Gauge Metals	
Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The	Thomaston
Thinsheet Metals Co The (plain or tinned in rolls)	Waterbury
Thread	
American Thread Co The	Willimantic
Belding Heminway Corticelli	Putnam
Max Pollack & Co Inc	Groton and Willimantic
Wm Johl Manufacturing Co	Mystic
Thread Chasers	
Geometric Tool Division, Greenfield Tap & Die Corp.	New Haven
Thread Gages	
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Thread Milling Machines	
Pratt & Whitney Div Niles-Bement-Pond Co	West Hartford
Thread Rolling Machinery	
Hartford Special Machinery Co The	Hartford
Threading Machines	
Grant Mfg & Machine Co The (double and automatic)	Bridgeport
Timers, Interval	
A W Haydon Co The	Waterbury
H C Thompson Clock Co The	Bristol
R W Cramer Company Inc The	Centerbrook
Rhodes Inc M H	Hartford
Timing Devices	
A W Haydon Co The	Waterbury
R W Cramer Company Inc The	Centerbrook
Lux Clock Manufacturing Company	Waterbury
Rhodes Inc M H	Hartford
Seth Thomas Clocks	Thomaston
United States Time Corporation The	Waterbury
Timing Devices & Time Switches	
A W Haydon Co The	Waterbury
Lux Clock Manufacturing Company	Waterbury
M H Rhodes Inc	Hartford
Tinning	
Thinsheet Metals Co The (non-ferrous metals in rolls)	Waterbury
Wilcox-Crittenden Div North & Judd Mfg Co	Middletown
Tool Hardening	
Commercial Metal Treating Co	Bridgeport
Tools	
Hoggson & Pettis Mfg Co The (rubber workers)	New Haven
141 Brewery St	New Haven
Tool Chests	
Vanderman Manufacturing Co The	Willimantic
Tool & Dies	
C & H Mfg Co Inc	Watertown
Lambro Tool-Die & Mfg Co	Bridgeport
Metropolitan Tool & Die	Hartford
Moore Special Tool Co	Bridgeport
Swan Tool & Machine Co The	Hartford
Tools, Dies & Fixtures	
Greist Mfg Co The	New Haven
Tools, Dies, Jigs & Fixtures	
O.S.A. Manufacturing Co	Plainville
Otterbein Co J A	Middletown
Riverside Mfg Co Inc The	New Haven
Telke Tool & Die Mfg Co	New Britain
Tools, Fixtures, Gauges	
Fredericks Tool Co J F	West Hartford
Toroidal Winding Machines	
Boesch Mfg Co Inc	Danbury
Totalizers	
Reflectone Corporation The	Stamford
Toys	
Geo S Scott Mfg Co The	Wallingford
Gong Bell Co The	East Hampton
N N Hill Brass Co The	East Hampton
Waterbury Companies Inc	Waterbury
Tramways	
American Steel & Wire Div of U S Steel	New Haven
Transformers	
Berkshire Transformer Corp The	New Milford
Dano Electric Company	Winsted
Trucks—Commercial	
Metropolitan Body Company (International Harvester truck chassis and "Metro" bodies)	Bridgeport
Trucks—Industrial	
George P Clark Co	Windsor Locks
Trucks—Lift	
Excelsior Hardware Co The	Stamford
George P Clark Co	Windsor Locks
Trucks—Skid Platforms	
Excelsior Hardware Co The (lift)	Stamford
Tube Bending	
Donahue Mfg Co Inc	Watertown
Tube Clips	
H C Cook Co The (for collapsible tubes)	Ansonia
32 Beaver St	Derby
Weimann Bros Mfg Co The (for collapsible tubes)	Derby
	(Advt.)

I T ' S M A D E I N C O N N E C T I C U T

Tube Fittings		Wall Paper		Wire Arches & Trellises	
Scovill Mfg Co ("Uniflare")	Waterbury	Stamford Wall Paper Co Inc	Stamford	Hartford Wire Works Co The	Hartford
Tubers		Washers		John P Smith Co The	New Haven
Standard Machinery Co The (tubers for both rubber and plastic industries)	Mystic	American Felt Co (felt)	Glenville	Wire Baskets	
Tubes—Collapsible Metal		Auburn Manufacturing Company The (all materials)	Middletown	Wiretex Mfg Co Inc (Industrial, for acid, heat, treating and degreasing)	Bridgeport
Sheffield Tube Corp The	New London	Blake & Johnson The (brass, copper & non-ferrous)	Waterville	Wire Cloth	
Tubing		Clark Brothers Bolt Co	Milldale	Hartford Wire Works Co The	Hartford
American Brass Co The (brass and copper)	Waterbury	Humphrey Fabricating Corp	Unionville	C O Jelliff Mfg Co The (all metal, all meshes)	Southport
Bridgeport Brass Company (brass and copper)	Bridgeport	Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (brass & copper)	Thomaston	Pequot Wire Cloth Co Inc	Norwalk
G & O Manufacturing Co (finned)	New Haven	J H Rosenbeck Inc	Torrington	Rolock Inc (Alloy)	Fairfield
Scoville Manufacturing Company (Brass and Copper)	Waterbury 91	Saling Manufacturing Company (made to order)	Unionville	Smith Co The John P	New Haven
Tubing—Flexible Metallic		Washers—Felt		Wire Drawing Dies	
American Brass Co Metal Hose Branch	Waterbury	Chas W House & Sons Inc (Mills & Cutting Plant)	Unionville	Waterbury Wire Die Co The	Waterbury
Tubing—Heat Exchanger		Watches		Wire Dipping Baskets	
American Brass Company The	Waterbury	E Ingraham Co The	Bristol	Hartford Wire Works Co The	Hartford
Scovill Manufacturing Company	Waterbury 91	United States Time Corporation The	Waterbury	John P Smith Co The	New Haven
Tumbling Barrels		Water Heaters		423-33 Chapel St	
Henderson Bros Co The	Waterbury	Whitlock Manufacturing Co The (instantaneous & storage)	Hartford	Wire Formings	
Tumbling Equipment & Supplies		Water Heaters—Electric		Autoyre Co The	Oakville
Tumbling Sales & Service Company	Greenwich	Bauer & Company Inc	Hartford	G E Prentice Mfg Co The	Kensington
Tumbling Service		Water Heaters—Gas or Kerosene		Master Engineering Company	West Cheshire
Tumbling Sales & Service Company, Eshech	Meriden	Holyoke Heater Corp of Conn Inc	Hartford	North & Judd Manufacturing Co	New Britain
Typewriters		Waxes		Turner & Seymour Manufacturing Co The	Torrington
Royal Typewriter Co Inc	Hartford	Harrison Company The A S (and other protective coatings)	South Norwalk	Verplex Company The	Essex
Underwood Corporation	Hartford	Waxes—Floor		Wire Forms	
Typewriters—Portable		Fuller Brush Co The	Hartford	Barnes Co The Wallace Div Associated Spring Corp	Bristol
Royal Typewriter Company Inc	Hartford	Wedges		Bristol Spring Manufacturing Co	Plainville
Underwood Corporation	Hartford	Saling Manufacturing Company (hammer & axe)	Unionville	Colonial Spring Corporation The	Hartford
Typewriter Ribbons and Supplies		Welding		Connecticut Spring Corporation The	Hartford
Royal Typewriter Company Inc	Hartford	Connecticut Welders Inc (fabrication & repairs)	Wallingford	Foursome Manufacturing Co	Bristol
Underwood Corporation	Hartford and Bridgeport	Farrel-Birmingham Company Inc	Ansonia	Gemco Manufacturing Co Inc	Southington
Ultrasonic Processing Equipment		G E Wheeler Company (Fabrication of Steel & Non-Ferrous Metals)	New Haven	Humason Mfg Co The	Forestville
General Ultrasonics Co The	Hartford	Industrial Welding Company (Equipment Manufacturers—Steel Fabricators)	Hartford	New England Spring Mfg Co	Unionville
Underclearer Rolls		Welding—Lead		Templeman Co D R	Plainville
Sonoco Products Co (Climax-Lowell Div)	Mystic	Connecticut Welders Inc (tanks & Coils)	Wallingford	Terryville Manufacturing Co	Terryville
Vacuum Bottles and Containers		Storts Welding Company (tanks and fabrication)	Meriden	Wire Goods	
American Thermos Bottle Co	Norwich	Welding Rods		American Buckle Co The (overall trimmings)	West Haven
Vacuum Cleaners		American Brass Company The	Waterbury	Patent Button Co The	Waterbury
Electrolux Corporation	Old Greenwich	Bridgeport Brass Company	Bridgeport	Scovill Manufacturing Company (To Order)	Waterbury 91
Spencer Turbine Co The	Hartford	Bristol Brass Co The (brass & bronze)	Bristol	Wire Partitions	
Valves		Wheels—Industrial		Hartford Wire Works Co The	Hartford
Norwalk Valve Company (sensitive check valves)	South Norwalk	George P Clark Co	Windsor Locks	John P Smith Co The	New Haven
Valve Discs		Wicks		423-33 Chapel St	
Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford	Auburn Manufacturing Company The (felt, asbestos)	Middletown	Wire Products	
Valve—Automobile Tire		Holyoke Heater Corp of Conn Inc	Hartford	Claireglow Mfg Company	Portland
Bridgeport Brass Company	Bridgeport	Wiffle Ball		Humason Mfg Co The	Forestville
Valves—Radiator Air		Wiffle Ball Inc The	New Haven	Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (to order)	Thomaston
Bridgeport Brass Company	Bridgeport	Window & Door Guards		Wire Reels	
Valves—Relief & Control		Hartford Wire Works Co The	Hartford	A H Nilson Mach Co The	Bridgeport
Beaton & Caldwell Mfg Co	New Britain	Smith Co The John P	New Haven	Wire Rings	
Valves—Safety & Relief		Window Shades		American Buckle Co The (pan handles and tinners' trimmings)	West Haven
Manning Maxwell & Moore Inc	Stratford	New England Shade & Blind Co Inc	Durham	Humason Mfg Co The	Forestville
Vanity Boxes		Wiping Cloths		Templeman Co D R	Plainville
Bridgeport Metal Goods Mfg Co	Bridgeport	Federal Textile Corporation	New Haven	Wire Rope and Strand	
Plume & Atwood Manufacturing Co	Thomaston	Wire		American Steel & Wire Div of U S Steel	New Haven
Varnishes		American Brass Company The	Waterbury	Andrew B Hendryx Co The	New Haven
Staminit Corp The	New Haven	American Steel & Wire Div of U S Steel	New Haven	Wooden Boxes	
Vegetable Peelers		Atlantic Wire Co The (steel)	New Haven	Wallingford Planing Mill Co Inc	Yalesville
Colt's Manufacturing Company	Hartford	Bartlett Hair Spring Wire Co The (hair spring)	North Haven	Wood Scrapers	
Velvets		Bridgeport Brass Company (brass and silicon bronze)	Bridgeport	Fletcher-Terry Co The	Forestville
American Velvet Co (owned and operated by A Wimpheimer & Bro Inc)	Stonington	Bristol Brass Corp The (brass & bronze)	Bristol	Woodwork	
Leiss Velvet Mfg Co Inc The	Willimantic	Driscoll Wire Co The (steel)	Shelton	C H Dresser & Sons Inc (Mfg all kinds of woodwork)	Hartford
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Venetian Blinds		Platt Bros & Co The (zinc wire)	Winsted	Woven Felts—Wool	
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Jennings Company The S Barry	New Haven	Plume & Atwood Mfg Co The (brass, bronze, nickel silver)	Thomaston	Yarns	
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behavior related to the criteria first discussed above. The trainee himself, however, is likely to alter some of his criteria in terms of the experiences he has had in the training situation. Experience shows that if participation in the training process has been effective, the first impact will probably occur in the trainee's own perception about himself and others. His new self-assessment may lead to more confidence and security, and to less anxiety in his day-to-day relations on the job. Next, the repercussions of such insights will probably be felt by those with whom he deals. He may "blow up" less often, turn an attentive rather than a deaf ear to suggestions, or play a more constructive role in staff meetings. As he begins to feel his way and explores new behavior patterns, he must be supported by his co-workers to utilize the understanding and skills which he has learned. He needs an environment where human relations practices are part of the total organizational philosophy, where "gimmicks" and manipulative devices are recognized and deprecated for what they are.

As yet, the results of sensitivity training have not been subjected to a rigorous scientific analysis to ascertain the specific type and direction of changes which have undoubtedly taken place. However, reports from both trainees and co-workers indicate that this method of training does lead to greater "human relations" know-how, which in turn often seems to be followed by higher productivity, better morale, and

lower turnover. Sensitivity training, of course, is not a "cure-all" for every organizational problems; there are too many other technical and administrative aspects to effective management. We do see it, however, as an exciting development in executive training—with a future rich in promise and in potential rewards.

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